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BLESSED EDMUND RICE PRAYER

O God, We thank you for the life of Edmund Rice.
He Opened his heart to Christ present in those oppressed by poverty and injustice.
May we follow his example of faith and generosity.
Grant us the courage and compassion of Edmund as we seek to live lives of love and service.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

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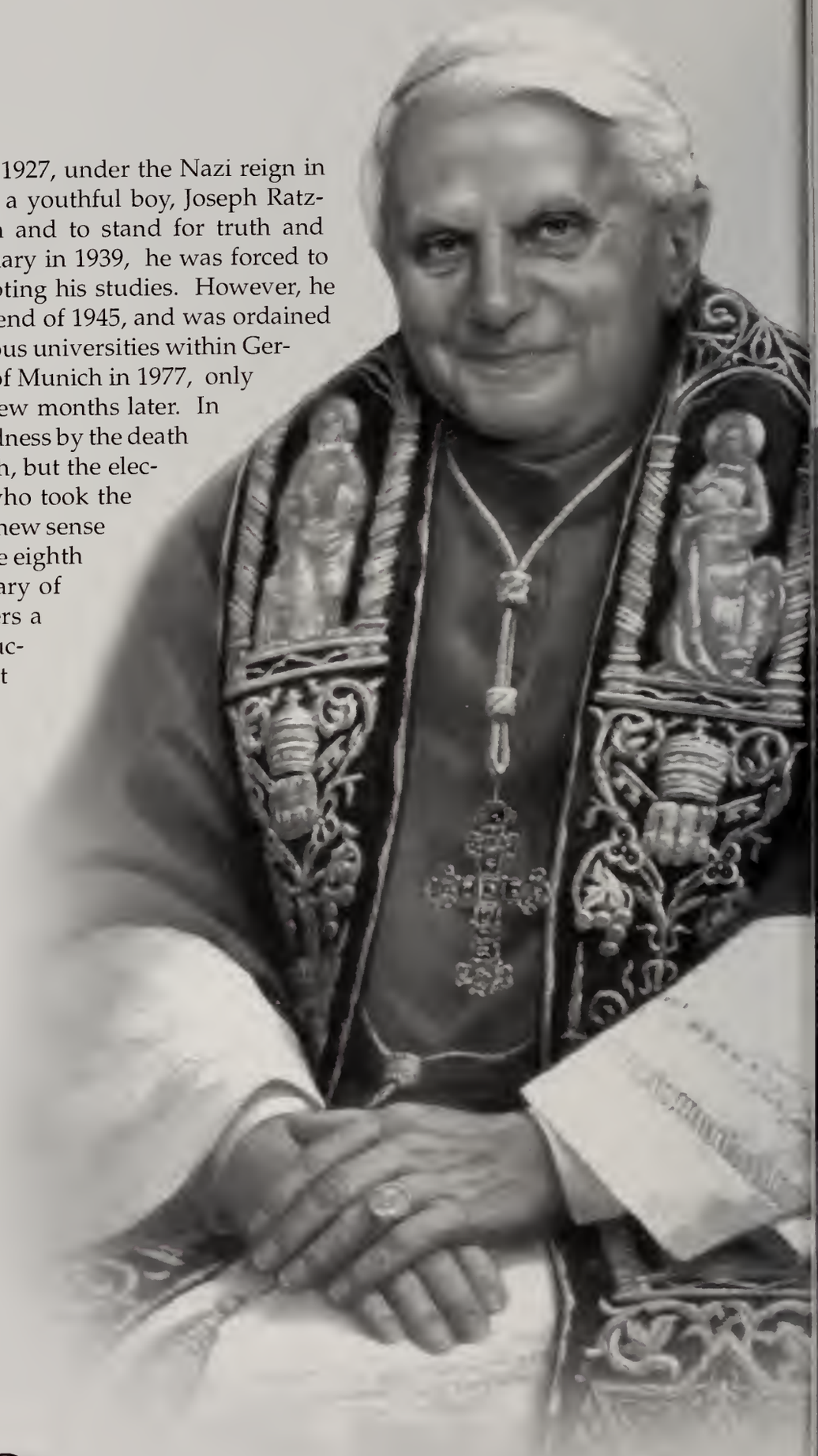
It is the paradox which we live in: to move into new areas in our lives by re-living old memories. For some, traditions are merely old, meaningless rituals, while for others, it is the very source of significance and purpose for their actions. Yet for us, traditions present a link to our storied past – a history filled with stellar academic, exceptional artistic, triumphant athletic, and rich spiritual legacies – and a transition to our future.

This past year, each of us has made our own transition; from one grade to the next, from one level of competition to another, from youth to adolescence and perhaps to manhood; we have all matured. And in making our transition, we have all left our mark on Vancouver College. We have lived the College experience. In the same way, our school is alive because of the experiences we create. We have upheld the famed Irish traditions yet we leave VC having added a few more of our own.

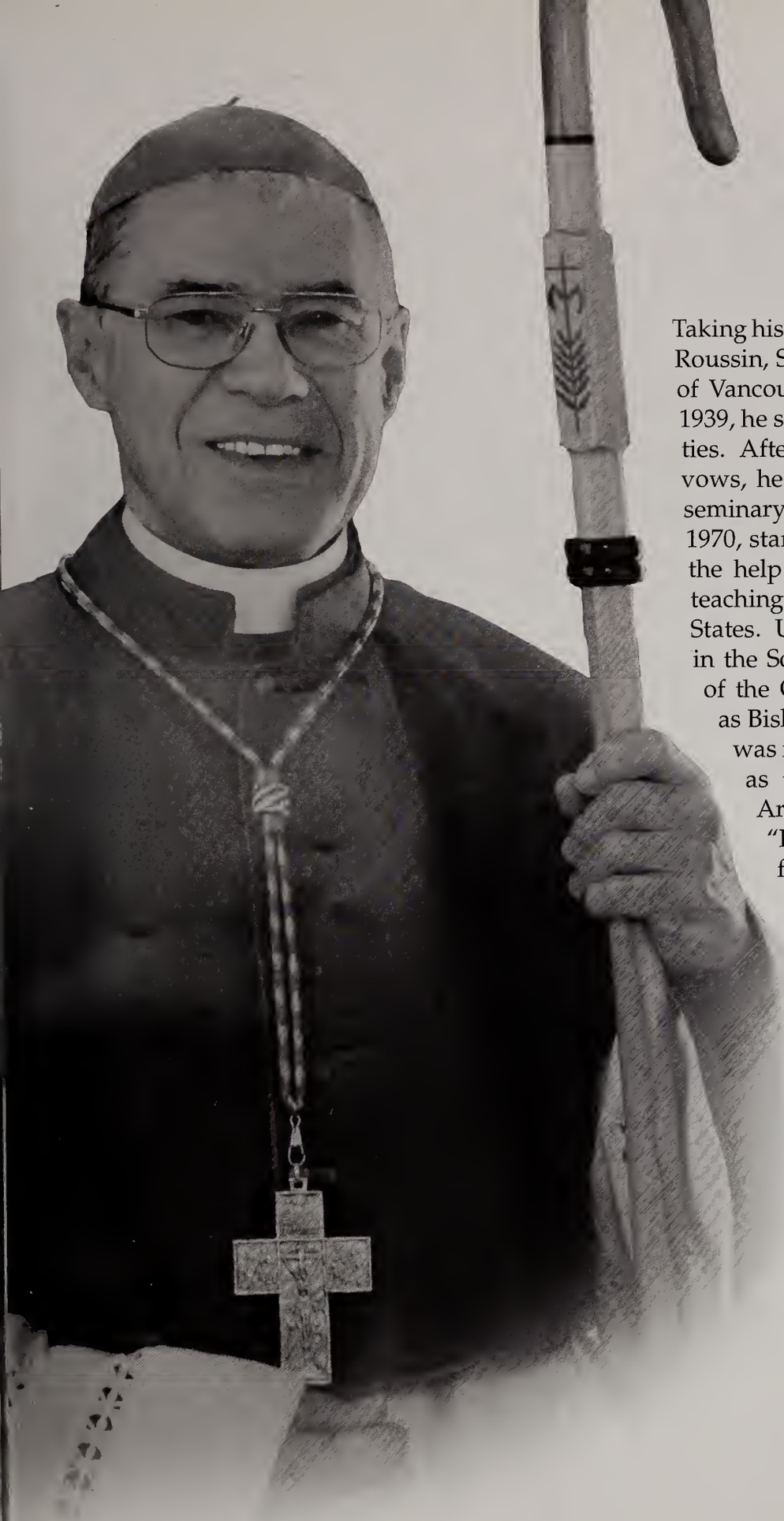
And so now, as we venture out into the world, whether as a VC graduate or simply as a student who is one year wiser, we take with us a part of the legendary Vancouver College tradition, one rooted in pride, service, and excellence in all endeavours. This is our journey. This is our transformation from boys to men, our transition from experiences based on tradition to lives entred on personal treasure. This is Vancouver College.

traditions and transitions

Born on April 16, 1927, under the Nazi reign in the Diocese of Germany, a youthful boy, Joseph Ratzinger, learns of the church and to stand for truth and freedom. Entering the seminary in 1939, he was forced to serve in Hitler's army, interrupting his studies. However, he returned to the seminary by the end of 1945, and was ordained in 1951. Teaching theology in various universities within Germany, he was named Archbishop of Munich in 1977, only to be elevated to cardinal status a few months later. In 2005, the world was stricken with sadness by the death of Pope John Paul the Second's death, but the election of Cardinal Joseph Ratzinger, who took the name Benedict XVI, brought about a new sense of optimism. Benedict XVI became the eighth German as pope. As the new dignitary of the Roman Catholic Church, he enters a new and complex world. Being the successor of Pope John Paul II, our newest Pope dons the role of the light to the path of all Christians, and shares the strict adherence to traditional Catholic dogma. Although he is expected to follow such leadership, today, he continues the service of his predecessors, guiding and guarding the growing Catholic faith in this growing, yet complicated, century.



The Pope



Taking his chair on February 17, Archbishop Raymond Roussin, S.M., became the tenth leader of the diocese of Vancouver. Born in Saint-Vital, MB, on June 17, 1939, he studied in Boniface, MB, in various universities. After making his novitiate and First Profession vows, he joined the brotherhood. He then entered seminary studies and was ordained on March 21, 1970, starting a new life in the service of God. With the help of God's graces, he put himself to work, teaching Theology in Manitoba and in the United States. Using his expertise in philosophy, he served in the Society of Mary and the Provincial Superior of the Order. He first became a bishop in 1995, as Bishop of Gravelbourg, Saskatchewan, until he was installed as Bishop of Victoria in 1998. Now, as the Archbishop of Vancouver, His Grace, Archbishop Roussin reminds us of his motto, "Fortes in Fides," which translates to "Steadfast in Faith". His strong faith strengthens the faith of his flock, allowing the people to be rooted within Jesus. With the trust that is put in him, Archbishop Raymond Roussin strongly holds his position. As a respected leader of the diocese of Vancouver, he depicts the shepherd image of our Lord Jesus Christ.

The Archbishop

MR. HARDY

It is indeed a great pleasure to bring greetings to you through the medium of this wonderful yearbook - Collegian 2007. Traditions and Transitions, the theme of this year's yearbook, is indeed a fitting theme as it aptly describes Vancouver College 2006-2007.

The Collegian Yearbook itself is a wonderful tradition at Vancouver College. It has existed and flourished for many years at Vancouver College, and it remains an accurate chronicle of school life. It is the source of many fond memories for alumni, for the parents of our alumni, and for our staff. I would like to acknowledge the commitment to excellence so evident in this yearbook - to our Senior Editors, Curt Da Silva, Richard Ang, Stefan Chua, Pat Guevara, Joshua Nacar, Nicco Bautista and, of course, to our Staff Advisor, Mr. Randy Duggan. To all of you, on behalf of the entire Vancouver College Community, I would like to extend a sincere thank you for your outstanding service and work.

The mission statement of this Faith and Learning Community is based upon the commitment to provide today's Christian young men with educational experiences which will lead to the development of the whole person - mind, body, and soul. And it has been so in each of the 84 years of Catholic education at Vancouver College.

Tradition can be defined as the handing down of information, beliefs, or customs, by word of mouth or by example. As each of you process that information, you become part of that legacy as you also pass on information and beliefs to those that follow you. And so the traditions of Vancouver College remain traditions. The obvious examples of such traditions are the Christmas Concert, Band Festivals, Saturday football at O'Hagan, Emerald Classics, exams in the gym, Walkathon, Mother's Christmas Tea, Whistler band trip, First Friday Elementary school liturgies and on and on!

As much as tradition is an important part of our heritages, Vancouver College remains a dynamic institution whose future is shaped and molded by the young men who now walk the hallways. These young men, each with their own gifts and talents, will create new traditions at the school. At the same time, these young men will grow and change in their time here as they are influenced by the ethos and essence of the school - a faith based experience. Today's students, like those that came before them, will leave here as better men.

To our graduating seniors of 2007, on behalf of the faculty and the community of Vancouver College, I would like to extend my heartfelt congratulations on a job well done. As your life here as students has been influenced by those who have come before, you too have been wonderful role models for those that will follow you. The future awaits. Through your experience at Vancouver College, through the community that you have experienced, through the lessons you have learned, through your deepened faith life, you are well prepared to go forward and meet the challenges that await you. As we continue our journey in Catholic Education, we know the work of making the World come alive for the next generation is our heritage. We give praise and thanks to God as our story at Vancouver College continues.

Through the intercession of Blessed Edmund Rice, may we be ever faithful to the Essential Elements of an Edmund Rice Christian Brother Education at Vancouver College and, thus, help each other grow in wisdom and grace.

BR. NEWMAN

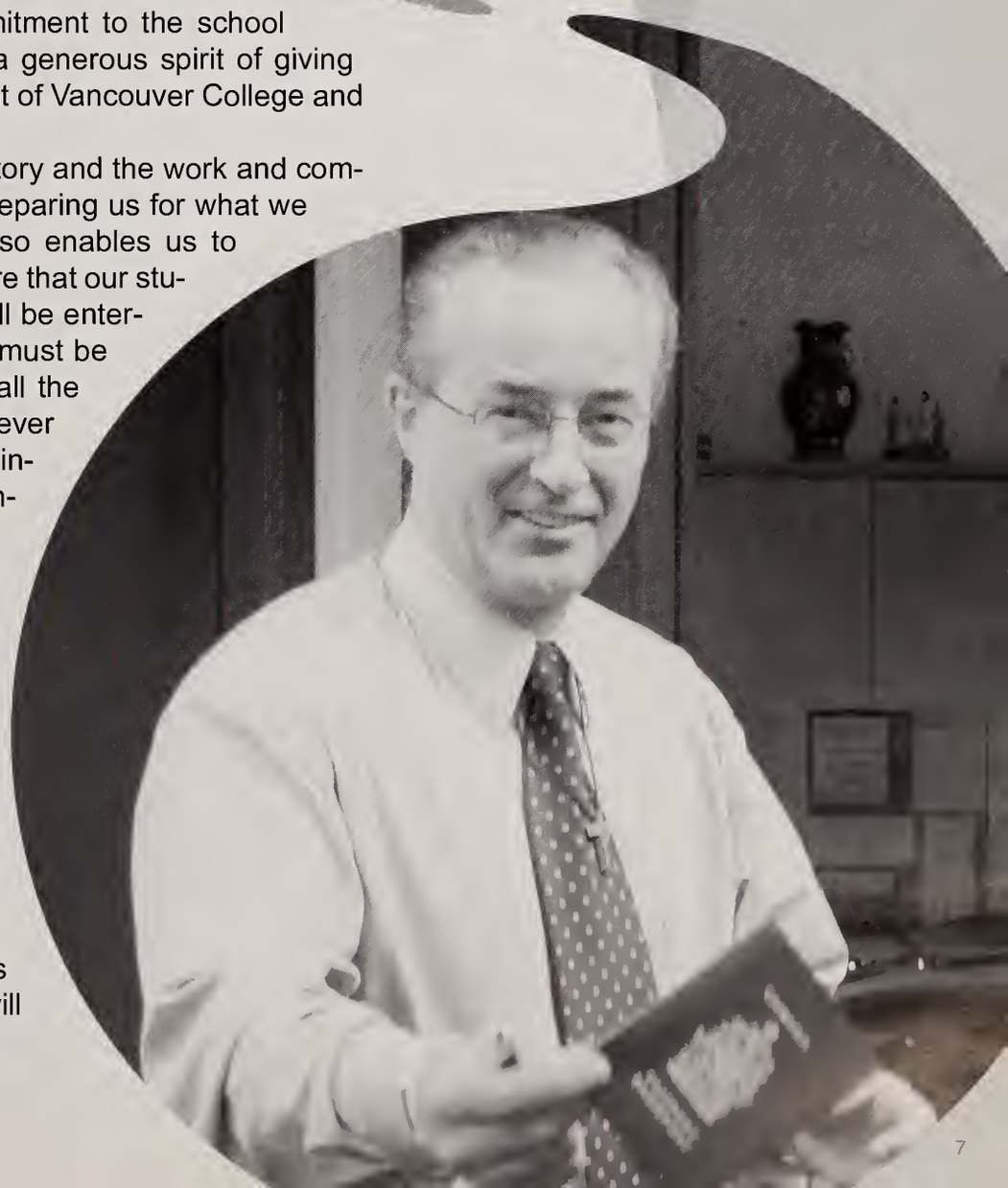
Congratulations to the yearbook staff on another excellent annual. Your dedication and commitment is much appreciated by the entire community. Your theme of "Traditions and Transitions" affords us the opportunity to reflect on the past and plan for the future while living consciously in the present.

It is appropriate in the year of construction of a new Science Wing and Gymnasium that we should reflect on the traditions linking us to our rich history, and transitions which engage our imagination to explore the possibilities for the future. It is our traditions that have prepared us to handle the many transitions we will encounter in our lives.

Vancouver College over the past eighty years has established many fine traditions, both personal and communal. Traditions such as the pursuit of excellence in academics, athletics, leadership, and spirituality as well as communal traditions associated with reunions, a sense of commitment to the school through the Alumni Association, and a generous spirit of giving have all contributed to the development of Vancouver College and its unique ethos over our long history

Tradition links us to our rich history and the work and commitment of all who have assisted in preparing us for what we are experiencing in the present. It also enables us to plan and prepare for the future to ensure that our students are prepared for a world they will be entering upon graduation. Our preparation must be current so that the students possess all the necessary skills to be successful in an ever changing world – a world that is multilingual, multi-ethnic, multicultural and containing many Faith traditions. This is no easy task: it takes creativity, commitment, and dedication on the part of the entire community. We strive to measure up to this task.

To the graduating class of 2007, I pray that your experience of "Real Presence" becomes a part of your daily consciousness and that you will be Eucharist in a broken and crippled world. May you be a source of healing and new life to all you encounter on the path you travel. Do not focus too much on your destination or you will fail to enjoy the journey there. Peace!



MR. DESLAURIERS

The theme of this year's yearbook aptly describes the beginning for many of our students in Middle School. These new students come into an environment with 84 years of tradition. While some programs have remained constant over the years and others have gone, they have all been associated with a tradition of excellence.

Regardless of what we do at Vancouver College, we strive to do it with high expecations as administrators, as teachers, and as students. It is this attitude that permeates our faith and learning community and challenges us everyday to be better as a community.

This standard is not always easy to maintain. Associates with excellence are subject to day to day pressures and exhausting stress. It is during these times that our strong belief in God and our loyal support for each other shine through. It reminds us that we are not alone and, despite our ups and downs, our standards remain the same.

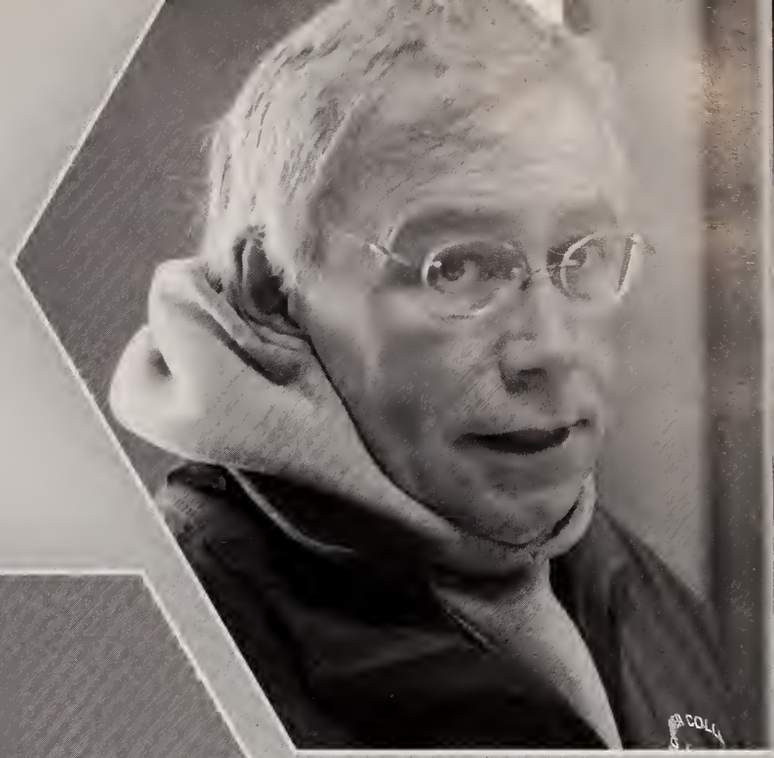
Traditions are positive reminders of who you are. They are the backbone of your identity and, at Vancouver College, speak volumes about who we are as a community. Our best advertisement as a school is the word of mouth that people associated with Vancouver College pass onto others. I am very proud to be part of such a supportive and faith filled community.

MRS. SEPPELT

When I began teaching at Vancouver College, I realized that the school was rooted in time honored traditions. Mothers' Day Mass, Mothers' Tea, Concerts, Tournaments, Alumni gatherings, and many other events that take place each year are a constant in the life of the school. It is these traditions that build our sense of community and knit our relationships together. It has been said that a great leader is predictable: a great school, also, is predictable in its traditions and consistent in its philosophy and policy from year to year and generation to generation.

While the traditions root us, it is the transitions from child to teen, teen to adult, that help us see our traditions with a fresh eye and age appropriate appreciation. We also transition as our surroundings change, espcially with new buildings, new teachers, and new courses. While change occurs around us every day, the goal of our school remains immutable. Blessed Edmund Rice's vision to make men of faith out of the students that attend our faith and learning community will forever be at the root of all we do as we celebrate our traditions and undergo our transitions.

STAFF



Vancouver College is known not only for its academic excellence and athletic pride, but also for its heart-warming staff. Each day, teachers, too, must wake up early and prepare the day plans for each class, while support-staff and administration ensure that the school runs smoothly and efficiently. Students may not always realize it, but the staff, too, work hard for the benefit of the Vancouver College community. It is their work that allows the students of Vancouver College to strive for excellence. Their perseverance and dedication does not go unnoticed. Although this may sometimes seem the case, the staff members do a lot to sustain the pride that is known to Vancouver College.

Thank you, administration for running the school well, keeping students on their feet. It is because of your abilities that allow students to show better attitudes and work habits. Thank you teachers, for always being a guide to us, students. Thank you for sharing your knowledge and experiences with us, allowing us to mature and learn from lessons. It is your push that allows us to utilize all our talents and capabilities to the full potential. Thank you support staff, for your patience when we come to school late and giving us messages. Thank you for being in charge of accounts and the money we raise for various events. Thank you janitors. It is your work that allows us to keep the school clean and tidy. It is your work that creates the wonderful image of Vancouver College, keeping it like a home.

Obviously, all the staff members have done their part to keep the school running. We cannot go by each school day without acknowledging the staff. They are rewarded when they see their students performing well, all in a day's work. It is because of the staff that we, the students of Vancouver College, are receiving a well-rounded education, nourished with faith, academics, and athletics.

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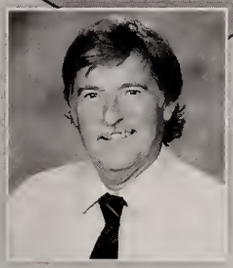

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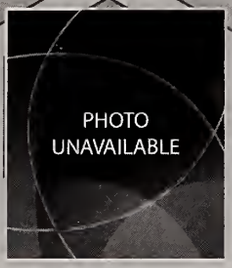
22 Years at VC
BEd
Religion 11, 12; English 10; Varsity Soccer



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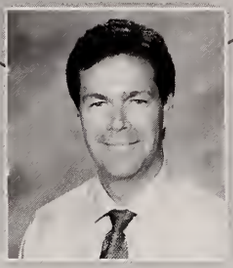

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VC Millenium Foundation Director

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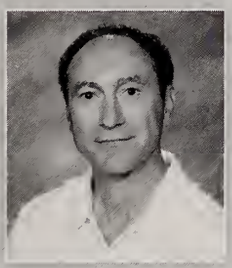
Database Administrator



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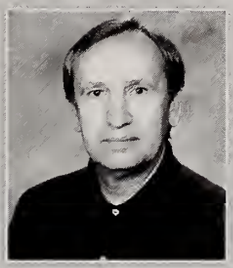

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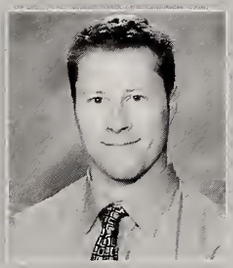

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7 Years at VC
BSc. UWD, BESc. UWD, BEd. UBC
Physics 11, 12; Badminton Head Coach; Physics Olympics

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Science 9, 10; Math 9

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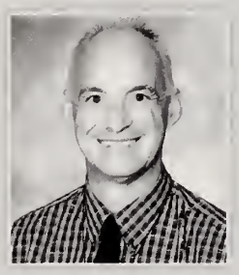
Jr/Sr Hockey Coach



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raphy 12; Religion
12; Concert Choir 10,
11, 12; Humanities
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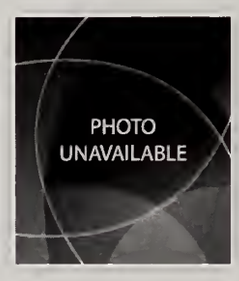
Fine Arts Dept.
Head



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English 10

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Reach For the Top
Coach; STRINGS
Moderator

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Admin. Secretary

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Religion 8; Letter-
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ACTION

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Math 10; App. Math
10, 11; Math 11

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English 9; Drama 7, 8, 9; Debate

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CGA
Comptroller

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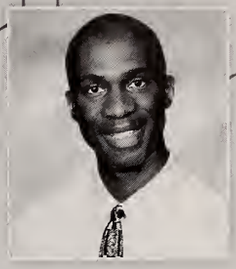

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BSc
ICT-X 10, 11, 12; ICT-M 10, 11, 12; IT 7, 8, 9

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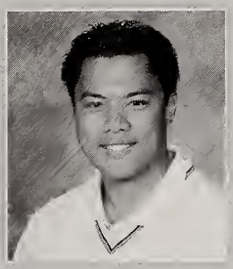

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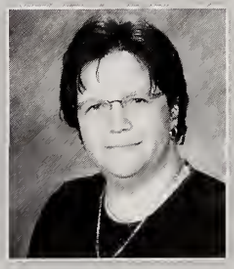
Maintenance Staff



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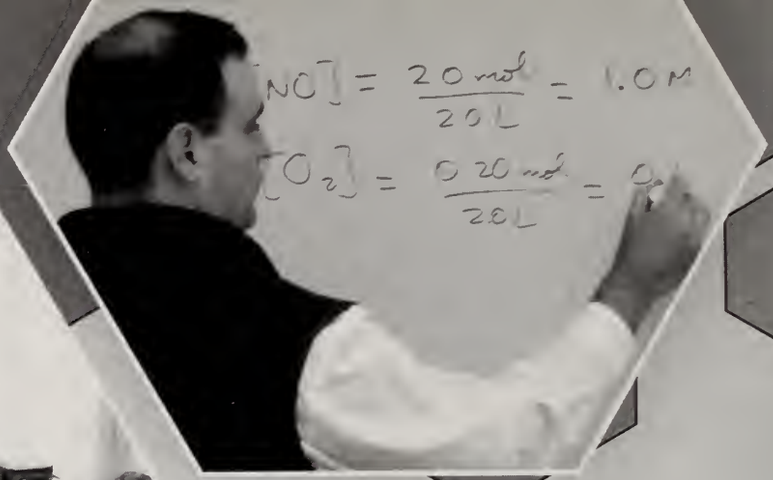

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Peter Bull
Dr. Michael Varelas
Bob Stewart

Not pictured:
Christine Chan
Dr. Stephen Ho
Br. John Gale

As Chair of the Board of Directors, I have the honour to serve with fifteen men and women who give their time and expertise in service to our school. Directors are selected from among the alumni, parents and community at large and are appointed by the Trustees. The Board is responsible for developing and maintaining the policy for the educational direction of the school and it ensures that the school is managed effectively in a manner consistent with that policy.

As it undertakes its work, the Board is ever mindful of the rich traditions and special character of Vancouver College, developed over 85 years, as the school enjoyed the generous service of the Christian Brothers and followed the inspiration of Blessed Edmund Rice. Today each Director makes a personal commitment to serve the school in a manner consistent with the Essential Elements of an Edmund Rice Christian Brother Education at Vancouver College.

On behalf of my colleagues on the Board, I extend to each of our graduating students my sincere best wishes for God's blessings in all your future endeavours. Remember our motto, "semper fidelis", and remain loyal to your Christian values. You are part of our ever-expanding fraternity of Alumni.

To all remaining students and their families, enjoy your years of growth as part of this faith and learning community. The Board is committed to working with our Administration, our staff and parents in the continuing quest for excellence in all aspects of the educational experience offered at Vancouver College.

- John H. Nixon, Class of 1969

Parents Association

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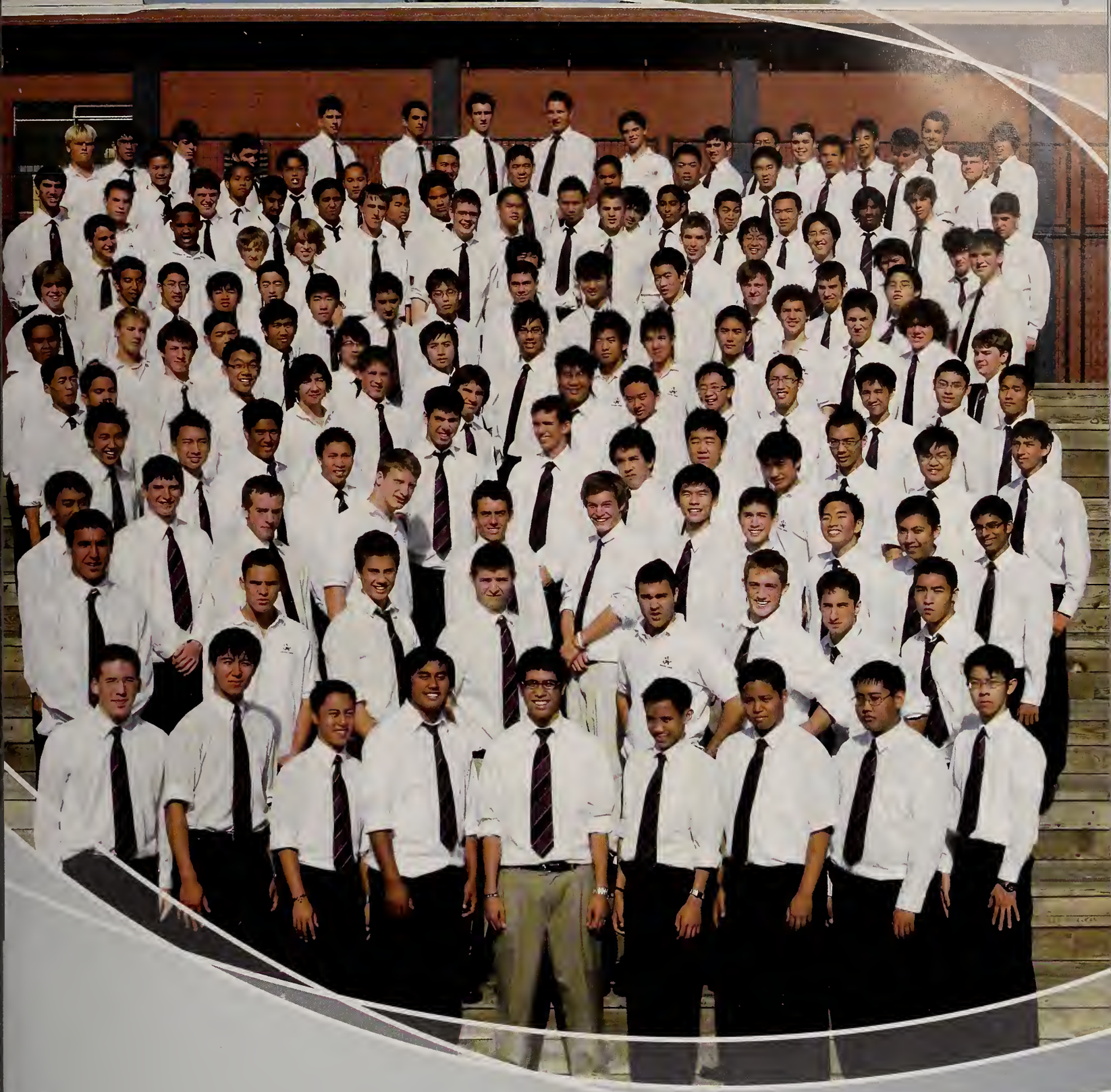
The Parents Association allows parents to take an active role in the school community. It is their goal to maintain support for our sons in the faith and learning environment of Vancouver College. We are committed to aiding in charitable activities for the school. The Parents Association is involved in fundraising activities such as the Mayfair, Finnegan Ball, and Mother's Tea Party.

Throughout the year the parents of the school put forth their efforts in everyday affairs. They work in the necessary school activities such as parking patrol, classroom, and administrative support. Without the aid of the dedicated parents in the school students would be unable to reap the rewards that they take for granted.



Grad Class of 2007

Sean Addison

Entering VC I couldn't picture myself as a grad. I couldn't picture leaving, but after five years I am confident that I am ready to move on. I thank my family, Mom, Kate, and Marc, for all of your support, we have dealt with a lot but we've always had fun. My friends, teammates, and crewmates for all the memories and triumphs. My coaches and teachers for your steadfast guidance. Finally, I must thank my father, who has been my source of inspiration. It's been great.

"You miss 100% of the shots you never take." - Wayne Gretzky

Richard Ang

My last year at VC was basically a superficial one. So now onto the confusing stuff, last years yearbook contained a number of strange phrases that no one really understood or saw probably and this year who knows. But I can tell you one thing, I have made many of these pages so look out. I have found post secondary education to be quite enjoyable. Oh and if you ever deal with information technology the biggest threat is you.

Ken Anglas

I've been to many places and met many people. I've learned many things and have become a better person.

Kristian Arciaga

In Grade 8, I was nervous about high school but VC came as advertised. I thank God for the many blessings He has bestowed upon me. Mom, Dad, Kaitlin, and Jeremy, I love you. Thanks to my wonderful friends who have stuck by me all these years. To the VC Staff: I am humbly grateful for the wisdom you have shared. Amazing experiences include: Encounter XLVI, Reach, Newspaper, Prolife, Grade 11 Retreat, Edmundians, Grad Commitee, Whistler trips, and track meets. Best of luck to my fellow classmates! I leave VC a better man. Pax.

"Hope is a waking dream." – Aristotle

Patrick Armstrong

It's been 5 years that have gone by way to quickly. Thanks to all the teachers, friends and family who have helped me through the tough times. Without your support I don't know where I would have ended up. Thank you so much.

"When your going through hell, just keep going, never surrender" - Winston Chruchill

Lucas Athaide

Well this turned out to be the fastest 5 years of my life, but I enjoyed every moment of it. Thanks to my Dad and Sisters for helping me through it all and especially my Mum who is always looking out for me. Gotta love the MexiCali and poker. Though we are now going our own ways, the good times will just keep on rolling. Peace.

Mark Balantzyan

'Be self-controlled and alert. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion, looking for someone to devour. Resist him, standing firm in the faith, because you know that your brothers throughout the world are undergoing the same kind of suffering.'

1 Peter 5 : 8 - 9

Spencer Baldwinson

'Yet it shall not be so among you; but whoever desires to become great among you shall be your servant. And whoever of you desires to be first shall be slave of all.'

Mark 10 : 43 - 44

Andrew Banting

My five years at VC would not have been as memorable without the support of God and my family. So with love and sincerity, I'd like to thank my mom, dad, sister, and grandparents for their loving support. They set my limits higher than the sky but kept my feet on the ground. My heartfelt appreciation goes to the teachers for sharing their stories and wisdom with me. They made me a better man. These are my brothers, and together we will do the fantastical.

"It's about having more fun walking up the hill with friends than carving down alone."

Nicco Bautista

During my time here, I've enjoyed the company of so many diverse, yet equally classy men. From the Lunchtime Ballers to the Debate Society, Pro-life, Yearbook, Edmundians, Choir, the Voice, the list goes on. But in particular I'd like to thank those who make my Friday's so great: to Bosco, Alma (Fred), Rob, Nader; to those named and unnamed, thanks for the memories. But I extend my deepest gratitude to my parents and teachers for their wisdom and patience. To the Grads of '07, it's been a pleasure.
"In our hands we hold today, in our dreams we hold tomorrow, and in our faith we hold forever!"

Nader Beyzaei

'Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and He will flee from you. Draw near to God and He will draw near to you.'

James 4 : 7 - 8a

Andrew Boyd

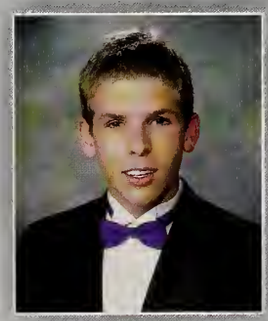
'And He said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for My grace is made perfect in weakness."'

2 Corinthians 12 : 9a

Brian Busenius

The last five years have been awesome! New friends, sweet laughs, great trips to whistler and the Island. The sports have been memorable: watching the football and basketball games, the rowing experience since Grade 8. Most importantly, I have to thank my parents for sending me to a great school with a positive atmosphere and a great learning environment, my friends, who get my spirits up I'm down, and my teachers, for all they have done. Experiences like Grad 2007 only come once in a lifetime, so take advantage of them to the fullest. Good luck in your future.

Sean Cadenhead



These five incredible years at VC have just flown by! They have given me an excellent education and a greater understanding of life and people. Thank you to my loving family, friends, and teachers, who have supported me in my academics, athletics and personal growth. I will never forget all the good times I had at VC, especially playing two of the best sports at the school- tennis and soccer.

"I wish you well and so I take my leave,/ I pray you know me when we meet again." -William Shakespeare

Charles Campbell

To all my friends, acquaintances, teammates, classmates, teachers, coaches, and all those whom I've come in contact with: thank you for shaping me into the person I am today. My family, you're my foundation. VC has brought me many wonderful memories. Thank you. Hopefully, I'll see al lot of you in the near future. Good luck.

"We are masters of our own fate" – Winston Churchill.

Jeffrey Chalissery

These few years have flown by very quickly and graduation is just upon us. I would first like to thank my parents for their unconditional love and support. I want to thank all my uncles, aunts, cousins and grandparents for guiding me throughout my life. Thanks to VC and all the teachers I had throughout the years. Finally, thanks to all my friends whom have made life enjoyable. Best of luck to all the '07 grads.

Peace.

Jake Cham

My five years at VC have been filled with many unforgettable memories. I give thanks to God and my family for their unconditional love and support and for the opportunity to be a part of this community. To my teachers, for their endless guidance, words cannot do justice to how grateful I am. Finally to my friends, thank you. Without you, I wouldn't be the person I am today. To the rest of the Grads of 2007 I wish you all the best!

"Wherever you go, no matter what the weather, always bring your own sunshine." - Anthony J. D'Angelo

Andrew Chan

Wow, these five years at VC have gone by really fast! I would like to thank God, my parents, teachers, my brother and Basilla for supporting me. I would also like to thank Alvin, Michael, Bryan, Andy, Vince, Jason, Jon, and _____ for all the great memories! You guys have been there for me through thick and thin! Too bad I can't use initials... Good Luck to all the Grads of '07!

"The only difference between a good shot and a bad shot is if it goes in or not" - Charles Barkley

Donald Chan

These 5 years at VC have been a fantastic experience. I have gained a lot of great memories, knowledge, and experiences which I will never forget. I would like to thank my parents for their constant love and support and my friends for the great memories and the good times, for, without them, I would not be who I am today. Now, it is time for us to move on and I wish all of you the best of luck in the future!

Kenneth Chan

This is it…we've finally arrived at our last stop (no, "the next stop is [NOT] 41st Avenue"). Five years at Vancouver College and a lifetime of memories including sushi, Whistler, Retreat, and Encounter. Many thanks to my friends (you know who you are!) and the school community. Vancouver College wasn't just about academics or sports, it was also about learning more about yourself, more about life.
"We are all inventors, each sailing out on a voyage of discovery. The world is all gates, all opportunities." - Ralph Waldo Emerson. Best of luck Graduates of 2007! "The next stop is…"

Michael Chan

Hi, bye.

Jimmy Chang

I wouldn't be here as who I am this very day, hadn't it been for those who have made the past five years of my life an unforgettable experience. Thanks to my friends, my family, and my mentors who have supported me and fostered my growth as an individual. Engraved in my heart are memories - Grades 8-12, UBC, Shad, Jazz Quartet - that will serve as guides for my future. I'm ready. With a unique perspective I've acquired as a member of this faith and learning community, I'm prepared to challenge the boundaries. Best of luck, Grads '07!

Justin Chang

POW! BAM! WHAMO! That sums up the five years here at Vancouver College that has been known as a second home to me. First off I want to thank my family, teachers, coaches, friends and teammates for the love and support. Many thanks to the football, wrestling, and track teams for the unforgettable away trips. But most of all thanks to the ten people that have made this portion of my life an unbelievable experience. Good luck to the graduating class of 2007. We have all left here as better men.

"Word Life" –John Cena

Julius Chau

Now that I think about it…Time flew by pretty fast. It's already been a hard working, fun-filled, and simply awesome five years at Vancouver College. Although high school is only a simple milestone in life, it has significantly changed me and matured me into the man I have become today. A special thanks to all my family, friends, and teachers who have been there to support me and teach me throughout this long journey. I've had spent and made many unforgettable memories which I would cherish and keep for the rest of my life.. Thanks. VC and Grad07. Goodbye.

Philip Chebaya

The last 5 years have been the best years of my life. I'd like to thank all my teacher and friends for making my years at VC an amazing success. I especially want to thank my family for all there love and encouragement: Chris, Rasha, and my Mom and Dad because, without them, I would not be who I am today. I love you. Congratulations Grad 07. We truly leave VC as better men.

"Success is to be measured not so much by the position that one has reached in life as by the obstacles which he has overcome"

Vincent Cheung

Please refer to Jonathan Wong (AKA. Don Wong!).

Alexander Cho

A man once said:
I'm doing it for the shorties. ~MC Chris
That summarizes pretty much everything.
Peace.

Eric Chu

Good times, bad times, boring times. There's been so much that's happened during the last fives years that I'll never want to forget and stuff that I'll never be able to forget ...no matter how much I want to. I want to say thanks to all my friends for just being my friends and also that South Delta is the best. Finally I want to wish everyone good luck for the future.

Stefan Chua

A goodbye has never been as bittersweet as this.
Thanks to Vancouver College for taking me as far as it has today. To God, my family and friends, and those especially close to me: you have taught me more than any classroom ever will. Thanks for all the basketball games, mango puddings, and for the summers that never ended. We've made it! Our success will never be in question; we must only ask how great we will allow ourselves to be.

"Always pick rock." - Stefan Chua, after losing his quote to Henry Yu in a fiery rock-paper-scissors battle

Chris Chung

Wow! 5 years in Vancouver College was replete with excitement. I will always remember my days in VC. Those days in band, in classrooms, and in the cafeteria are such precious memories to me. I hope that the time I spent in VC will help me find guidance. I thank my parents and others who always supported me in overcoming my struggles, regardless of difficulty.

Nathan Clare

It's been a long journey. Couldn't have made it without you, Mom, thanks for all the help and opportunities. I love you. Dad, thanks for all the talks and support. I love you. Sam, thanks for providing the HOV lane. I love you. Montana, you've helped me through so much. Thanks for everything. I love you. Friends. All the bus rides and lunches. Lacrosse, thanks for providing so many opportunities and so much happiness. Riding with the boys, the trips to whistler, and everywhere in between. It's been a blast. All the good times.....
Cheers, I'm outro.

Tyler Clark

How am I supposed to sum up VC in a few flavourful words?? I can't. VC has been my home since Grade 8 and I have been in complete awe. I have met so many people and shared so many great times with them. So much thanks goes to VC, God, my family, and my friends. I wish the best of fortunes to the faculty and all students graduating or remaining at Vancouver College. To all my buddies here, <you know who you are> thanks for the memories I will never forget.

"Just smile and wave boys.. just smile and wave."

Matt Clarke

'And He said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for My grace is made perfect in weakness."

2 Corinthians 12 : 9a

Austin Cooper-Lorne

'For God has not given us a spirit of fear but of power and of love and of a sound mind.'

2 Timothy 1 : 7

Adam Cordick

'Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all things that I have commanded you;'

Matthew 28 : 19 - 20a

Daniel Cordick

It's over... It's finally over. I just want to thank my family for always believing in me and never doubting my capabilities.

"Confidence is contagious. So is lack of confidence" - Vince Lombardi

Joseph Cordonier

It's been an eventful five years at Vancouver College. I've learnt so much from the school in and out of the classroom. I regret having to leave so many things behind but everything changes and so must I. I'm in total gratitude to all the staff, coaches, peers and especially my friends. Good luck to all 07 Grads in their future endeavours. Remember to take it easy and laugh at anything that deserves a smile.

"Life is like a box of chocolates, you never know what you're going to get." – Forrest Gump

Dyllan Crook

High School is over! First I need to thank my parents for giving me the opportunity to attend such a great school. There are lots of memories that I'm going to cherish and some I will forever try to forget but as I leave V.C one thing won't change, ME! My shout outs go to all them crazy classes I've had. In all seriousness, because I'm a very serious person (or maybe not), don't forget where you come from because where you go is a result of who you are. I came from N.W.T. Inuvic baby!

"Give it a go" - Dyllan Crook

Arthur da Silva

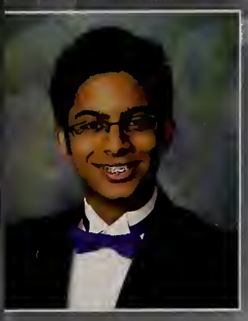
"Thinking of you, wherever you are.
We pray for our sorrows to end,
and hope that our hearts will blend.
Now I will step forward to realize this wish.
And who knows:
starting a new journey may not so hard
or maybe it has already begun.
There are many worlds,
but they share the same sky-
one sky, one destiny."

Curt Da Silva

Expressions of gratitude, although typical to this kind of box, are not the sole focus of my message. I know that every day I am blessed by God, by my family, my friends, my teachers, and my coaches. I know that not only have a few people contributed to my formation, rather, everyone that I have known, personally or briefly, are responsible, in part, for the man I am today. I stand here, not afraid of the future, but instead, thankful for my past. Semper Fidelis, Grads of 2007.

"Some might say we will find a brighter day" - Oasis

Dane De Silva



Five years ago, I was an inexperienced adolescent; now, time has passed like the turning of a page, creating a mature man. Another chapter begins: the daunting task of moving on to something greater and, perhaps, arduous. First, I thank God for guiding me up to this point. Thanks to my family and teachers who have been the pillar of support through the years. To my friends, words cannot express your importance in my life. Good luck with your future endeavours, Grads of 2007!

"The true voyage of discovery begins not with new places, but with new eyes." - Marcel Proust

Brian Dewangga

When I first arrived at VC in grade 8, I came not knowing who I was. Until I stepped foot into homeroom 8-3, then the memories began... lunch time basketball, summer 05, soccer, track, Encounter 46, Whistler 06, and memories with the VC, Magee, and D.Thompson boys. Thank you Inca & Wini for always being there for me through the toughest & greatest times of my life. To my special Jessica, thank you for all your support. You always bring the best in me. Thank you Mom & Dad; I appreciate everything you've taught me. Now I know who I am.

Joshua Domingo

This is to my family and friends. First and most importantly, I owe thanks to my parents, the idols and influences I couldn't have done without. My genuine inspirations. To my friends, girls & guys, the backbone of anything I did and the encouragement I'd ever need. My support. To Charles & Nicholas, the brothers that have always had my back. My guardians. To Raquel, the greatest friend & sister I could ever wish for. My foundation. And finally, to Michelle. The best thing that ever happened to me. My motivation. "Never forget"? I'll do that. I'm out. Time to live in the sky.

Justin Endaya

Being in Vancouver College was a great experience. Thanks to all of the teachers for their support. I would like to thank God for everything. With the love and support from my family, I couldn't have done all this. To all of my friends, thanks for everything, we had a lot of great moments. To the Grad Class of 2007, congratulations and good luck in the future. To the students who have yet to graduate, study hard, don't give up, and get involved with school events.

Count your life by smiles/Not tears/Count your life by friends/Not years

Alexander Dean

What an amazing five years I have had at VC. I want to thank my friends, Sean, Pat, Mike, Brian, and Dirty. I also want to thank the great teachers who have taught me so much: Mr. Nardi, "Mr. Freire", Mr. Beliveau, Brother O'Loughlin, and Mrs. Schwandt. I'll never forget the "great" rowing practices and regattas, and, of course, the Seinfeld club. All I have to say is thanks for the great times. The greatest advice I can give is enjoying your time while you're at VC because the next thing you know it is all over.
Semper Fidelis!

David Do

"We all have big changes in our lives that are more or less a second chance."

Leaving VC as the 2007 graduates, we walk into the society that does not care for us or look after us, unlike VC's staff. However, as we step into the world, we are given a chance to redeem ourselves and succeed in life. I know that everyone will pull through, for everyone has his unique qualities. So forget about the discouraging things that happened, but move on for the future is now. I hope that everyone will have a bright future.

Trevor Dueckman

'Finally, brethren, whatever things are true, whatever things are noble, whatever things are pure, whatever things are lovely, if there is any virtue and if there is anything praiseworthy - meditate on those things.'

Philippians 4 : 8

Brock Euper

'All Scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness, that the man of God may complete, thoroughly equipped for everyy good work.'

2 Timothy 3 : 16 - 17

Edward Eviston

My six years at Vancouver College have been enjoyable years. I would like to thank the teachers who have aided me along the way. I also would like to thank my parents for their support as well as my friends for the good times. All else I have to say is that I'm excited about what lies ahead and I look forward to my graduation. Good luck to all the graduates of 07 in your future endeavours. K Bye.

William Fast

Shenanigans! It's finally over! Thanks so much to everyone for making these past five years unbelievable, especially my teachers, the South Delta guys, my girlfriend, and all the other incredible friends I have made along the way. You guys are the best! Oh yeah thank you to my parents for sending me to V.C. Wrestling was a blast and I will never forget our hilarious escapades on band trips. Thanks to music for keeping me entertained when nothing else could.

"You can only be young once. But you can always be immature." Dave Barry

Enrico Fionda

Summarizing my five years at VC is suprisingly an imposibble task, because at VC I learned so much more than just math, spelling, (and that I should probably have gotten a hair cut for my grad photo). I learned how to become a man. Since everyone else probably wrote what I wanted to say, just read theirs and that pretty much sums it up. So, thanks to everyone, family, friends, and, of course, the rowing crew. Without all of you, I wouldn't be who I am today. Finally, best wishes to all of you and may your lives be like toilet paper... Long and useful.

Patrick Foy

I would like to thank my parents, friends and family. But not to be forgotten are the teachers who have inspired me all these years even when I was not the best student. I would not trade these past years, although challenging at times, for anything. I would like to do one thing before I leave, and that is to leave one quote behind.

"Je me souviens".

Jamieson Francis-Bain

I would like to thank my parents & my big brother Andre (VC'03) for their constant love & support. To my teachers & coaches (Lacrosse/Hockey), thanks for the great vibe that made my time at VC so special! I gotta give shout-outs to my hometwon of sunny Tsawwassen & the entire beach crew. To my 'ride' buddies, thanks for some pretty stimulating discussions & some sweet tunes in all that traffic. To Lana & all my friends at SDSS...you are awesome! Congratulations & best wishes to the Graduating class of 2007. Semper Fidelis!

Jordan Galpin

Vancouver College has been a great place to grow and mature. I, along with my peers, leave this school a better man. If not for my parents, brother, teachers and friends, I would not have achieved or become what I am today. I owe them many thanks. This school has been a milestone in my life, showing me that knowledge truly has no limitations. Thanks to everyone who helped me along, and congratulations Grads of 2007.

Christopher Grant

I have changed so much in the past five years, and VC has done its part in teaching me the things you don't learn in the textbooks. Many thanks to all the teachers, my parents and sister who were there for me every step of the way, and all the boys for countless good times. The high school experience has left me ready for something new, so good luck to all those now free and ready for whatever comes next. As Hunter S. Thompson put it; "Buy the ticket, take the ride." Thanks, it's been fun.

Gavriel Grossman

" 'Come now, and let us reason together,' says the Lord, "Though your sins are like scarlet, They shall be white as snow; Though they are red like crimson, They shall be as wool.' "

Isaiah 1 : 18

atrick Guevara

With this chapter of my life nearing its end, I want this to serve as a reminder of the five years I spent at Vancouver College. There have been many memorable moments: from trips and retreats, to random outbursts during free time (sometimes even during class). I also want to remind myself of the connections that I've made, all the people that I met during these five years. On top of that, for the support given to me by my parents, sisters, teachers, and friends; I thank you all for helping me to become the person that I am.

urton Haig

Wow five years flew by! Thanks first and foremost to my family for helping me through the years. The curse still lives on in football, hopefully next year it ends, either way there still is "the left side, the only side." Thanks Eric U. and the rest of the Offensive line for a great season. Wrestling, with so many amazing trips from going to Kamloops, Alberni, and Prince George, nothing beats playing hearts and singing "whalers on the moon" on the ferries. Thanks Clement K., Justin C., Curt D., Joe V., and all who made the 4/5 hour trips enjoyable. Only one last thing to say "Go Browns!"

odie Hemmons

I can't believe high school is over already. The past five years have been filled with awesome times with all my friends. I would like to thank my family for the support they have given me through out my time at Vancouver College. I would also like to thank all the teachers that I have had at VC for guiding me through my five years at the school. Finally, thank you to all my friends, the good times I shared with you guys are what I will remember the most. Good luck boys!

onathan Hopkins

'Therefore let him who thinks he stands take heed lest he fall.'

1 Corinthians 10 : 12

Dominique Guevarra

The time has come; high school is finally over. A huge part of my life comes to an end and I will remember it for the rest of my life. In the past five years, many experiences have been had, and now, many great memories are left to be with me always. I'd like to thank my family for being there whenever I need them, my friends for all the good times, and everyone else at Vancouver College for making high school so enjoyable. To the Grads of '07, good luck in the future. It's been fun, good game.

Daniel Hatud

Grad of 2007 Baby! All the good times I had during my five years at Vancouver College have finally come to an end. Classes, lunch times and encounter are a few of many amazing memories. I'd like to thank God, my parents and my sister, my teachers and my friends who have each contributed greatly into making me the man that I am today. We've had some good times guys. You know who you are. Good luck and best wishes to the grad class of 2007!

"Don't ever let anyone tell you that you can't do something." Will Smith – Pursuit of Happyness.

Trey Henderson

'A gentle answer turns away wrath, but a harsh word stirs up anger.'

Proverbs 15:1

Nicholas Hunter

Well, it's been a short yet interesting 5 years at Vancouver College. All these years, I've looked forward to graduation, but that changes when the time finally comes. I would like to thank my family for their constant support throughout the years as well as to all my friends who made my high school life as memorable as it was.

"We ride together, we die together, best friends for life" – Bad Boys 2

Anthony Jacob

For the past 13 years, VC has been like a second home, leaving me with unforgettable experiences. I never thought it would end; sadly, it has I'd like to thank my parents for providing me with the opportunity to attend such a magnificent school. I would like to thank my friends and girlfriend for their support through tough times. Congratulations to the Grads of 07. To the future VC rowers, your mind is the limit. As long as the mind can envision the fact that you can do something, you can do it-as long as you really believe 100 percent" - unknown

Adam Jang

"As long as your going to be thinking anyway, think big." - Donald Trump
Many thanks to my teachers, for your generosity has enabled me to succeed. To my parents and family, for giving me the vision to reach for my dreams. Special thanks to my father, who has been my role model and the backbone to my ambition. To all my friends who have given me the courage to be the best that I can be, I will never forget you. Grad '07. Thank You.

"It is not sufficient that I succeed - all others must fail." - Genghis Kahn

Brian Jeong

'But thou, O man of God, flee these things; and follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness.'

1 Timothy 6:11

Robert Johnstone

These past five years, especially Grade Twelve, have been awesome. Everything from E-block spare to Mr. Kim's Physics class has been a blast. Encounter 46 was amazing and I owe it all to Vancouver College and the people who call it home. There are too many names to put, so I'd like to thank everyone from Addison to Zhang for making these past five years what they were: incredible.

"I'm learning real skills that I can apply throughout the rest of my life - procrastinating and rationalizing." - Calvin and Hobbes

Alvin Keng

No man is an island. For the last five years here at Vancouver College, I am deeply indebted to God, my family, friends, teachers, and Translink. If memories are the footsteps of life, then we have walked many miles together. I will never forget Encounter 46, Wednesday afternoons, Italy, Social Justice. It was truly a roller coaster ride. Through the twists, the turns, the highs, the lows, we've made it to the top of the hill; we can only look up. Life is like a cookie. It doesn't matter how it looks. All that matters is how it tastes.

Amarith Keo

"Well done is better than well said."

At last we come to the end, so many unforgettable memories. I can't believe it has been three quick years and it's all over. What a shame... not really, though, because it's time to move on. It's true; time really does fly when you're having fun. First of all, I'd like to thank my parents for all their love and support. And of course "The Almighty" for always being that "distinguished" voice inside me. Finally, I would like to thank the entire grade level for a great time at school.

Tristan Kerr

To my family: "A man travels the world over in search of what he needs, and returns home to find it." George Moore
To my teachers: "The whole art of teaching is only the art of awakening the natural curiosity of young minds for the purpose of satisfying it afterwards." Anatole France
To my friends and classmates: "All we have to decide is what to do with the time that is given to us." J.R.R Tolkien
"My soul finds rest in God alone: My salvation comes from Him." Psalms 62:1
Congrats to the grads of 2007!

Daniel Koch

My 6 years at VC have gone by too fast. Tempus fugit. Though I am sad to leave I know that things change and so must I. I want to extend my deepest thanks to all of the teachers and students, especially the ones from South Delta, the table will be ours forever. Good luck to all the other grads of 07 as well as the upcoming grad classes.

"Time goes, you say? Ah, no! Alas, Time stays, we go." - Henry Austin Dobson

Matthew Konar

Finally Konar is out into the real world. High School is the bomb. I would like to thank my Mom and Dad for putting up with my shananigans and my lil' bro and sis for keeping me in line. Shout-outs to my VC boys (if I could write your names I would)...WEIRD. Ball was THE BEST thing at VC and for all the lil ballers, keep ballin'. There's still the youngbuck Konar that has to walk through the "Pearly Basketball gates" of VC and since I raised the bar I'll see if you can blaze the bar. RIP Grandpa. Im out.

Paul Kooner

'As the body without the spirit is dead,so faith without works is dead.'

James 2:26

Clement Kour

Wow! It's over. Seven years of great memories went by quickly. I'd like to thank my parents, coaches, and all of my classmates for all the great times I've had, especially the football and wrestling teams and those great times on away trips. I also want to immortalize in print how much I hate Shaun Alexander and the Seahawks and how much I love Avril Lavigne. Good luck to the graduating class of 2007.

No worries, just remember: "Nothing's gonna change destiny. Whatever's meant to be will work out perfectly." -Avril Lavigne, the greatest singer of all time.

Bosco Kwok

During my 5 years at VC, I have encountered many positive and negative experiences, of which many people are unaware. From being Acting President of Student Council to other experiences, it is hard to leave VC without thanking my parents and all of my friends and teachers who have supported me all these years. I appreciate everyone I've met at VC and elsewhere. Mrs. Field, your guidance and wisdom brought me through Gr. 12 – thank you. This write-up is dedicated to all of you.
"There is only so much one can control" – Miss Debbie Smallwood
"Don't give up, I have faith in you" – Chris Lim

Gabriel Lam

I came to VC when I started grade eight. I live in Coquitlam and it takes me an hour to get to school. The time at VC has really enriched my life, and it also made me realize what I am capable of doing. I would like to thank my family, friends and teachers for their support. Watch out people, one day, I will be famous!

Geoffrey Lam

I've been here for the past...um eight years, and now I sadly cry my saddest tears. Vancouver College has been more than just a school: it isn't boring, it's actually quite cool. To me it was more like a place that I can call home, but it was protected by more than just a gnome. The teachers were great, the students were awesome. Everything must come to an end like how a flower would blossom. No, wait! Nothing ever comes to an end; it's just a start to a new beginning. Thank you everybody for all your positive support.

Jason Lam

Hey guys!! The year has been amazing with Pre-Grad, Grad, and Encounter XLVI. For everyone going to encounter next year, I hope you enjoy it as much as I did. Badminton and Wrestling was another great experience, and I'd like to thank the coaches and the players of the team. Facebook really kept it all together, Haha. To all teachers and classmates, thanks for giving me a great and unforgettable year full of fresh experiences, especially the top locker I finally got after 5 years in VC. ^^

Cornelius Lau

My thirteen years at VC are finally over and I leave here with memories and experiences which I will never forget. The best times of my life have been at this place where I learned to be myself. I'd like to thank my parents and sister for guiding me through these years by always believing in me. Also, to my closest friends and classmates who have stuck with me through all the ups and downs. Best of luck to the graduating class of 2007 as the best is yet to come.

Curtis Lau

The end to a 13 year journey is complete and there are so many people I would like to thank: Mom, Dad, Brendan for all of their love and support through high school, to all the coaches and teachers for their guidance through school, and to the Princesses and other friends, thanks for all the good times, let's keep 'em going. I will always remember ASSEMBLE, Rush, Whistler, Football, Wrestling the good old days. It's been fantastic: great memories from the past and great memories to come. The end of one life is the beginning of another. CURTIS OUT PEACE... BYAHH

David Le

My time at Vancouver College seemed sho however, the experience will last forev First, I especially appreciate my Mothe Father, and brother Steven for all the suppo they gave me. To all my friends, I thank yo for both good and bad times we experience together. To all my great teachers, especial Mr. Nardi and Mr. Kim, thank you for all yo effort because I don't know how you put u with me. To the football team, you have mad my last year memorable.

"Reality is wrong, dreams are for real." – Tupac Shakur

Jonathan Lee

13 years in the hallways of VC will never be forgotten, (Football, Basketball, Encounter, Australia, etc,). To God: you are the rock upon which I stand. Thank you to my family, for standing by my side, (Dad- you are my Inspiration; Mom- you are my best friend; Tiff- you are my mentor), I love you all more than you know. To all the special people who have touched my life; thank you for helping me grow and for giving me memories to last a lifetime. To the grads; it's been awesome. Keep that fighting spirit alive. World, here we come!

"Life is 10% what happens to you and 90% how you react to it"

Phillip Lee

Time has gone by fast at VC. It seems like yesterday that I first came to VC. I have made many friends and memories. I can't believe i is my final year. I have a lot of people I wan to thank: Alex L, Francis, Kelwin, Cornelius Leslie, Derek, Tristan, Alvin K., Henry Z., Dane and any other people I missed. It has been a stressful, but fun final year. I also want to say that Encounter 46 was awesome. Thanks Redwood buddies. "When a chapter of my life closes, a new chapter of my life begins."

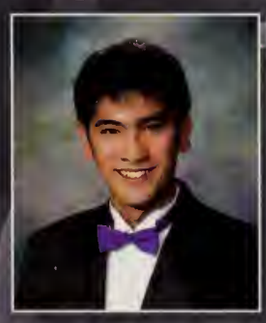
Ted Lee

The years I spent in Vancouver College have come and gone. I feel like I haven't done enough or taken enough pictures along the way and I can't believe high school is over. This place was an unlikely home for me, and I know that's been true of everyone in this, most memorable class. I think I lack the perspective, not to mention the words, to properly place what going to VC has meant to me. But after we go on to college or university, or work, or wherever it is we're going – good luck, everyone – go on to better lives, maybe even become respectable, let's not forget about the purple and gold. Hasta luego, Class of '07!

Bryan Leung

Grade 9 seemed like yesterday when I came into VC as a stranger. Now as a family, I'm in my graduating year. These 4 years were the best memories I could ever have in my life, made possible with the support of my friends Joe L, Garvan Y, Henry Z, and Andrew C. Unforgettable moments: Encounter 46, Grad Committee 07, Lunch time basketball, and all those band trips. Lastly, none of this would've been possible if I didn't switch schools into VC, so I'd like to thank my parents for blessing me with these best years of my life.

Joseph Lim



These past 5 years at VC have gone far too fast, but the time has finally come to graduate. No words can express my gratitude towards the people who have contributed to these incredible experiences. A big thanks and much love goes out to my sister, my parents, my friends, and my teachers for their guidance, and making these years some of the best years of my life. I will always remember lunch time ball, Encounter 46, and of course, spares, mango pudding marathons and candy gorging. Good luck and God bless, Grad. 2007!

Rodrigo Lizuain

'So he answered and said to me:

"This is the word of the Lord to Zerubbabel: 'Not by might nor by power, but by My Spirit,' says the Lord of hosts." '

Zechariah 4 : 6

eslie Lo

Well, here's my unoriginal 100-word entry... It has been five great years at VC and its already coming to an end. To the Grads of 07, I will never forget the times we've had. Good luck and thanks for everything. Thanks to my family, friends, and teachers who always supported me through the good and rough times. There have been lots of great times at VC but its time to close this chapter and move on.

"The only way to predict the future is to invent it"

Michael Loconte

First of all, thanks to God for giving me the privilege of attending VC for the past five years. I'd like to thank my parents for their endless support in whatever life throws at me. And, my friends, of course for all the great times we've had: Josh's, Oakridge roof, rowing, etc. Oh and the BEST concert ever!!! I hope that we can stay in touch in the years to come.

"Time may change me, but I can't trace time" – David Bowie.

Guenther Lomas

VC has been good to me, and I appreciate the guidance and encouragement received along the way, especially in my senior years. As this benign phase of education ends and the serious one begins, I am grateful to have had the chance to sample widely. To all teachers, student services and staff, and especially to our principal: my sincerest thanks.

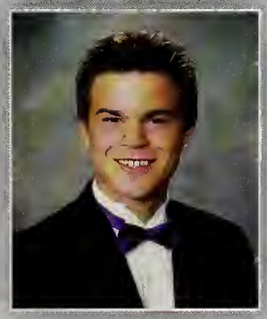
Alexander Lui

The future lies before you,
Like a field of driven snow,
Be careful how you tread it,
For every step will show.
I do not see graduation as an end but a beginning. Vancouver College has provided the foundations needed to accomplish my goals in life. The future is nothing without the past or present. Wherever I end up, I will never forget the lessons learned and experiences shared forever etched in my memory. Friends and family have helped me get here. Now, I must do the rest. Congratulations grads of '07, we made it!

ames Lui

For thirteen years, VC has given me good times, good friends, and good memories. Thanks go out to all the friends and teachers that have accompanied me along the way. More importantly, my love goes out to God, Mom, Dad, and Alvin for guiding me throughout the years. To my friends, thanks for the good times we've had and the good times to come. VC memories: Elementary Years, Gr11 Retreat, Encounter 45/46, Basketball, Track, Ski, Grad Committee, Student Council 05, Yearbook. Graduates: Good luck & I'll see you around!
"Sure books can guide you, but your heart defines you" - Jay Z

Roger Luykx



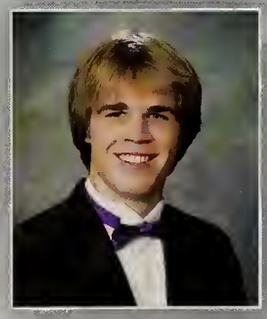
'Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.'

Hebrews 4 : 16

Anthony Ma

It has been a great 5 years here at Vancouver College. I have been blessed to have made many friends. Back near the end of grade eight, I was one step away from transferring schools, but luckily I did not, or I would have missed out on a lot. I sincerely thank all those who have made a difference in my life. Good luck in the future.

Nicholas MacDonald



For the past five years, VC has been a sanctuary for me to flourish in. I arrived at VC as a young boy, unsure of what was ahead of me and now I leave a young man, confident that I will be able to deal with whatever troubles I encounter. Thanks to everyone who has helped me along the way and good luck to the Grads of 2007.

Michael MacRae

Vancouver College has been my home for the last 13 years, and each year was a step forward in my life and full of great experiences. Thank you to my family, for their continued support and unconditional love throughout my time at Vancouver College. Thanks also to all my teachers over the years for their support. Last, but not least, thank you to my classmates, who have helped make Vancouver College a truly awesome experience for me.

"Don't worry about the world coming to an end today. It's already tomorrow in Australia."
-Charles Schulz

Michal Martinka

Booyakasha! 'Ere me now. Gentlemen... We have finally made it. It has been a long journey, but one heck of a ride. To all my friends and the football boys: Respek! You guys made school worthwhile. Mama, Tata and Pawel, thank you for your love and support. To all my teachers, your patience is appreciated. Men of the graduating class of 2007, it's time to start our lives, for this is only the beginning.

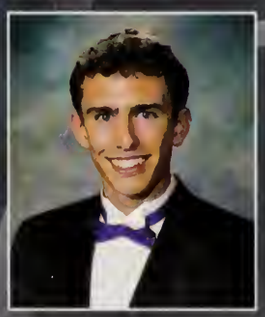
"Be who you are and say what you feel, because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind."
Dr. Seuss

Charles Mendoza

First and foremost, I'd like to thank God for the many ways he has blessed me over my high school years... and then some. I've had some of the most memorable experiences here and I'm thankful for every single one of them. To my mom, dad, sister, cousins, aunts, and uncles thank you for sticking by me and supporting me during these years where I have needed you the most. To my friends, I wouldn't have made it this far without you. You're the ones that have never let me down.

"Never Forget."

Alexander Munro



Many predecessors of ours, as graduates of Vancouver College, have said that their time at VC has gone by quickly. However, the six years I have spent at this school have been long. Fortunately, these long years have been the best of my life. I owe it to the amazing people that surrounded me during these years for making my time great: family, friends, teachers, and the Grad Class '07.

"So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen. For what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal." 2 Cor. 4:18.

Thomas Martin

Thanks to all my family, especially my parent for always being there for me. Thanks to all m teachers, coaches, friends from camp, school the farm, the group, and everyone else not o that list. Good times: rowing, Encounter, ul mate, drinking tea, and art room lunches. Too many more memories to list, but perhaps Tol ien said it best:
"I don't know half of you half as well as should like; and I like less than half of you ha as well as you deserve." Pat, if you steal m car again you're dead.
God Bless!

Brody McKnight

Mom and Dad, thank you for guiding me, supporting me, and loving me throughout my life Kelsey, thanks for always giving me great advice. Coach Choo and Covington, thanks for inspiring me to be the best I can be. To the boys, the thousands of laughs will never be forgotten, "Downzee lives on Carl." "And until we meet again, may God hold you in the palm of his hand." All the best to everyone at VC, don't ever let anyone or anything hold you back, Dream Big.

Alvin Mui

VC has been an integral part of my life for the past 13 years and now it's time to say "farewell". I'd like to take this opportunity to thank my family for their endless support AND of course, my buddies for being there each and every step of the way...VC wouldn't have been the same without you guys!! Thanks for all the memories you have given me, love you guys!! Thanks especially to _ _ _ for always being by my side :) (&)!! Grads of '07...BEST WISHES!!!

"Just follow your heart. That's what I do."
Napoleon Dynamite

Joshua Nacar

Five years have gone by, and I grew from a young, naïve teenager, into a well established man. I give thanks to God, firstly, for His guidance in becoming who I am today. Thanks to my family for all their love and support in my accomplishments and tribulations. To my teachers, for their hard work, and dedication And to my friends, you guys have kept me on my feet. Stepping into a new world, I start a new chapter in life. Congratulations Class of 2007. Good luck in all your endeavors.

"I know no limitations, and I'll reach my destination" – Boyz II Men – I Will Get There

liguel Narciso

"High school will be the best years of your life."

Someone told me that, and right now it is plausible. I love school; but the only problem is that classes get in the way. What I have learned in classes will not be contained in my brain for the rest of my life. However, the things I learn elsewhere will remain. It's not the years in life; but the life in the years. Thanks to all who want to be thanked. By the way, Avril is the greatest female singer of all time!

rancis Ng

Five years ago, I entered the doors of Vancouver College as a stranger. However, by making new friends, this feeling gradually diminished. Soon, Vancouver College became my second home. Though these five years seemed short, they were full of memories. I will never forget the countless pizza parties in Grade 8, the crazy video projects in Grade 9, three subjects in Mr. Howie's blazing hot classroom in Grade 10, Whistler Trip in Grade 11, and of course, Encounter 46 in Grade 12. I would like to thank all my friends and my family for their continuous support throughout these years.

ohnny Nguyen

Well it has been 5 years, and boy, it went by quickly. Poof! I would just like to say thanks to all those people who have helped me throughout the years in school.

eamus O'Brien

Like the adrenaline after getting off a roller coaster, these last 5 years have made me want to do it all again. To all those who have been close to me, both family & friends, you cannot be replaced. So many memories made which will not be forgotten. So many friends made who will always be missed. I refuse to say goodbye, but I will say I'll be seeing you later…Here's to the rest of our lives, and to the strength to overcome all of our struggles. Cheers.

Derek Ng

Wow, 5 years at VC went by like the blink of an eye! I still remember that first day at VC when I broke my neck just to see a grade 12! Anyways, I'll just like to thank the following people who have touched my life and shared many laughs with me in one way or another: Cornelius, Leslie, Francis, Phillip, Encountermates, Mr. Nardi, Mr Beliveau, and Bobo. Of course, thank you mom, dad, and Monica for all the support and guidance you have given me throughout my life. I will truly treasure all the great memories at VC.
Semper Fidelis, God Bless

Jeffrey Ng

My five years at Vancouver College have been awesome. I am really nervous, yet excited to join the co-ed world next year for post-secondary education. I would like to thank my parents (especially), teachers, and friends for supporting, advising, and guiding me throughout the high-school years. I just simply cannot imagine life as a student without them. To the graduating class of 2007, congratulations! You have all made it and best wishes for you all. I know you have heard this many times but "we do leave VC as better men".

Robert Noble

I guess there's a first time for everything. Thanks to my Mom and Dad for getting me through the mess I got myself into, without you two I don't think I would be here. Back in 8th grade reading the yearbook, I didn't really believe all those people writing in their grad section about how fast high school went by and how grade 8 seemed like last night, but I can relate now and WOW, did it ever go fast. I'm glad it did. Crack one to all the good times and bad times, all the times you've had. Just sit back and enjoy the ride.
I MADE IT.

Fred Park

It seems like it was only yesterday when I got into VC, and now I'm graduating. Anyways I'd like to begin with thanking my family for their tremendous support and care. To my friends: Chris, Brian, Nicco, Bosco, Henry, Tony, Jimmy, Jordan, etc, thanks guys. I'll never forget you guys haha. You guys rock! And also teachers, and coaches thanks. My life at VC has been the best time of my life. I'll remember all of the memories that I had here, and remember you all.

Alexander Paterson

It's hard to believe that my five years at VC are finished already. I don't quite know what to say But... Thanks to my family for giving me their love and support, and all my friends, teachers, and coaches for helping me throughout my high school life I loved every minute of my time playing football, basketball, and tennis (well, maybe not every minute) and all the adventures, especially tennis provincials, San Diego 05/06, Eastern, and all the sports banquets.

"All you need in this life is ignorance and confidence; then success is sure." -Mark Twain

Christopher Pisarek

It's hard to believe my time at VC has co to an end. Looking back, I realize I would n be who I am today without the help from thos around me. Thank you to my parents, siste grandparents, teachers, coaches, and all m friends that were there for me. All of yo presence, support, and guidance have taug me a great deal. It's because of you that leave VC a better man. To the grad class 2007, it's been amazing. Good luck.

"Dream as if you'll live forever. Live as if you die today." – James Dean

Samuel Quitzon

For the past 12 years, VC has been my second home. When I first came to this school in grade 1, I was excited for the future, not knowing what this school would bring to my life. But now that the future has arrived, I came to realize that VC IS my life. Thanks to God, family, friends, and everyone that has supported me throughout the years. Although this chapter of my story has ended, I will not walk out of here holding my head down, but rather holding my head high, knowing that I left VC as a better man.

Clay Renwick

'Charity shall cover the multitude of sins.'

1 Peter 4 : 8.

Zander Robinson

Thank you to all my family and friends who have given me unforgettable experiences throughout my past years at VC... Life is short, high school is shorter. Thanks to my friends, you know who you are. Thanks also to all the people I've spent 5 years with in football... good luck to '07

"Try not to become a man of success but rather to become a man of value." - Rocky Balboa

"To play it safe is not to play."

Richard Ronquillo

First, I'd like to thank my family for all the su port they have given me. Thanks to all m friends, I'm not going to list all of you but yo know who you are, for all the great memo ries. Remember those memories of that time Yeah that's the one! Good times.

"You think you know how your brother's wife sister's brother's uncle Rolando Jones, to your brother's room mate's room mate, th he doesn't have any inclings of any ideas my intentions towards the gentlemen to who I was talking! But you have NO idea!" - Ter Maddox

Caelin Roza

'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'

Acts 20 : 35

Victor Sachs-Latu

I'd like to start off by thanking VC for the be 5 years of my life. Also, I want to thank all V boys and my homies. Thanks to Mr. Accil's f understanding my need to drop Bio. Futu VC hockey and Field Lacrosse players, ki some butt. To the Basketball teams, keep winning and beat them Saints. Lastly, I'd li to thank Ms. Ottnad, Mr. Accili, Mr. Clayto and Mr. Freire. I now know what dimes ar eighths are.

Kyle Santos

Well I'd like to first of all thank the big man up there. That's right, GOD. Without him I wouldn't even be here! I'd also like to thank my parents, Ate, lil' sis, kangel, and all my other awesome friends that have been there for me, you guys have been awesome. I want to wish everyone Good luck for whatever the future holds, especially for me. And as I hear the comforting words from my close friend Russell, "Be a man, DO the RIGHT thing" all we can do is try.

Jared Sayson

High school is finally over, but real life is just beginning. Thank you Vancouver College for great memories to always look back on. I need to say thank you to my family and my friends for always keeping me going, and supporting me in everything I do. Good luck to all my friends, too many to mention and I don't want to leave anyone out, I hope we can keep in touch. I know I'll be able to look back and smile and laugh when I think of my years at VC

Erik Schweiz

'I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith.'

2 Timothy 4 : 7.

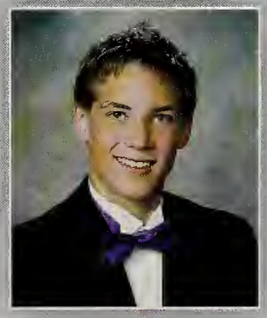
Joseph Scorda

Well well well boys, it's finally coming to an end. These past five years have been filled with good times that I will remember always. I'd like to thank my parents for forcing me to go to VC, good decision. I'd like to thank my friends for always being there for me, without you guys, school wouldn't have been nearly as fun as it was. And finally I'd like to thank the teachers, Bro O and Mr. Devenport in particular - your classes made school bearable. I wish the best of luck to everyone and hope to see you all soon.

Leo Sham

It's over. Five years of determination, dedication, and hard work have come to an end. When I entered in grade eight, I wondered about the day that I would graduate; now I cherish the day when I first lay foot on the Vancouver College Campus. Though it is hard to believe that I'm finished, I realize that none of this could have been possible without the continuous support from my family, teachers, friends and especially my "brother". Without them, the "me" of today would not exist. May our future behold success, and best wishes to Grads of 08.

John Smythe



I would like to thank my parents for putting up with me through the years and my brothers, Iain and Geoff, for guiding me with great advice. Thanks to all my patient teachers; they made my stay easier. Lastly, thanks to all my friends for allowing me to have an amusing time and getting me through the problems. The six years I have spent at VC have gone by fast, but I will always remember all my buds and the parties. All the best in the future, men, and we will encounter each other soon. "Be perfect" – Billy Bob Thornton

Tobi Sroka

'Though the fig tree may not blossom,
Nor fruit be on the vines;
Though the labor of the olive may fail,
And the fields yield no food;
Though the flock may be cut off from the fold,
And there be no herd in the stalls-
Yet I will rejoice in the Lord,
I will joy in the God of my salvation.'

Habakkuk 3 : 17 - 18

Randy Sun

For all those unforgettable years at VC, I would like to thank my mom for always being there for me and my dad who has always been my inspiration. A great thank you to all of my teachers, and to friends for all the memories we had. "If you don't know where you're going, you'll end up someplace else". Now the real life begins.

Andy Tam

Wow high school is over! Our years at VC have been an unforgettable experience. We would like to thank our parents and our siblings for the support they gave us. Thanks to all the teachers, coaches and staff that have helped us along the way. Our stay at VC would not have been so wonderful without you (you know who you are). We'll remember all the great times in and out of school. Finally we'd like to thank God and Buddha. PAYCE!

Michael Tarves

These past five years have been a blast.
These past five years have gone so fast.
Thanks to my family,
and thanks to my friends.
My time at V.C. has come to an end.
The best of luck to all the grads,
I'll remember the times, the goods, the bads.

Thank you to everybody who has helped me grow as a person through my time at Vancouver College.

"Learn from yesterday, live for today, hope for tomorrow." - Anonymous

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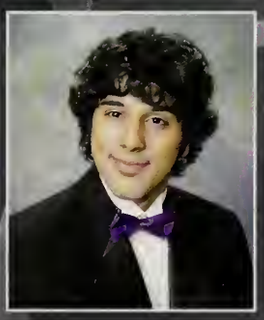


My life at VC has been filled with challenges and memorable experiences. Each individual I have encountered is unique in their own way, and it is this uniqueness that has helped me develop into the man I am today. Without the guiding care of my family, my friends, and my peers, life would be a bland journey. However, these relationships have helped me understand who I am, and directed me towards my path in life. Vancouver College has been an experience that will remain a part of my life.

"A conscience is what hurts when all your other parts feel so good."

Robert Thom

'But love your enemies, do good, and lend hoping for nothing in return; and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High. For He is kind to the unthankful and evil.'

Luke 6 : 35

Austin Thorne

Well guys, it's been a good 13 years, and I've had a good run at VC. Thanks to all my Edmundian buddies and all the teachers at VC for your support. I've changed a lot in the past couple years and it's all thanks to you guys. I'll see you all around, take it easy people. To the guys still at VC: don't stress and work too hard. High school goes by faster when you have fun with it. These will be some of the best years of your lives so take the time to enjoy them.

Ean Thornicroft

"I hate quotes"

Paolo Tolentino

Looking ahead at the pathways before me, I could not help but reflect on the road already traveled. Many have walked alongside me on this journey. For the infinite love of my parents, sister and brother: you've nurtured me to become the man that I am today. For my friends: we've often gone several steps on the wrong direction but still managed to find our way back. The road ahead is long and awaiting. With a deep breath, I take a step forward, carrying with me the memories of the past and hopes for the future.

"HIGH FIVE!!!" – Borat

Christopher Toyota

'He is the image of the invisible God, the first born over all creation. For by Him all things were created that are in heaven and that are on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or dominions or principalities or powers.'

Colossians 1 : 16a

Bryan Ugarelli

Time has passed so fast I can't believe I'm already in grade 12! To my family, thank you for supporting me on my decisions. To my friends, I hope our friendship stays strong. To all teachers who taught me throughout the years, thank you for sharing your knowledge, experiences, and a piece of your mind. To fellow students and friends, thanks for the memorable experiences that I will never forget. Finally, I finished part of my journey. Good luck to all the grads of 2007

Jonathan Valeros

It's been a great 5 years at VC, and I can't believe it's finally over. Thanks mom. Thanks Fir cabin, late-night-food-in-richmond buddies, other buddies, other other buddies, and Ms. Portman. You're all the best!

"For you, a thousand times over."

Carson Wan

First off, I would like to thank God, my family, especially my parents, all my teachers past and present, and of course, the people who've stuck by me through the years, my friends. Without them, I wouldn't have been able to make it this far. Encounter XLVI, pep rallies, band trips, and everything else in-between. These are the memories which I will cherish for years to come. Good luck to the Grads of 2007, may you all find success in your future endeavours. "Being optimistic won't solve all of your problems...but it will annoy other people enough to make it worth the effort." - Anonymous

Alexander Wlodyka

13 years at Vancouver College... From the day I walked in to the school to the day I walked out, this has all been a memorable experience. The rough times were definitely easier with a great family... Mom, Dad, Bonnie...I am forever thankful for all you have done for me...You all know who you are...You will all be remembered as great friends and supports. And last but not least, thanks to my amazing girlfriend Carolyn Caldwell. When times were the hardest, I always knew I had your love and support... I will remember that forever, wherever, whenever.

Eric Uy

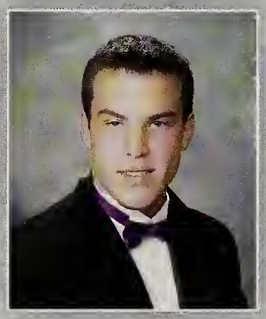
It seems like yesterday when I first came to Vancouver College, nervous and doubtful. Looking back now, I can say I made the right choice. These past five years have done more than I could ever imagine. Football, basketball, track, the weight room, after school activities, and the commuting, who could forget those? I'd like to thank my mom, dad, Kathleen, and Ryan. You guys mean so much to me. Many thanks and blessings to Mr.Bernett, the staff, and all my friends who have made this experience worthwhile.

"The first step to getting the things you want out of life is this: Decide what you want." - Ben Stein

Christopher Villar

I came to VC 5 years ago wishing I was in ND. I survived and leave with crazy memories. Thanks to my Mom and Dad for their endless support and understanding. I Love You both. To all the teachers/Brother Newman who taught me how to be a gentleman. To Jessica, for being my motivation and best friend/girlfriend. And to the VC grads of 2007, for being the greatest guys to have around. Lessons I learned from VC: BE YOURSELF, and "The greatest pleasure in life is doing what people say you cannot do." Arigatou gozaimasu and Sayonara VC!

James Ward



'The sting of death is sin, and the strength of sin is the law. But thanks be to God, who gives us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.'

2 Corinthians 14 : 56 - 57

Andrew Wong

In each of my 6 years at VC, the time seems to fly by faster and faster. I would like to thank, foremost, my Mom, Dad, and the rest of my family for supporting me, and the love they have shared with me. To all of my classmates, thanks for the good times and memories we have shared. I have learned so much from all of you. To all the staff members of VC, thanks for the great times.

"You haven't won the race, if in winning the race you have lost the respect of your competitors." - Paul Elvström

Darren Wong

Teachers, Friends, Basketball, Family, God, Thanks. Elementary school – Middle school – High school. VC has been a second home to me. Best of luck to my fellow graduates of 07. Peace.

Ethan Wong

My 5 years at VC have gone by so fast an I have so much to take away from my hig school experience. To my familiy: thanks for th all the support. To my teachers and coache thanks for making me a better person. To m friends: thanks for making my time here a b more bearable. Later Days.

"Oh wouldn't it be nice" – The Beach Boys

Jonathan Wong

WHAT?! Our last year at VC?? I can't believe it's truly my time to say goodbye to 13 years of life in this school. These LONG years will never be forgotten. I wouldn't be who I am today if it weren't for God's blessing. I want to thank my family for their undying love and support they have behind me, especially my brother, Andrew. Thanks to all the teachers that inspire me to be a better person. To my friends: Andy, Alvin, Jason, Vincent, Julius, Victor, Michael, Andrew, and _____(put your name here), you have been the best experience at VC that I could have ever asked for. Thanks guys!! Peace out!!

Kelwin Wong

I arrived at VC not wanting to come, but leave not wanting to go. Can't believe my tim here has finally come to an end. I am gratef for the guidance and support of my family an teachers. Thanks to all of my friends _____ (insert your name), you guys are wicked! W have spent many incredible years at VC, ye our lives are just beginning. Thanks for every thing, and keep in touch!!!
"I try to learn from the past, but I plan for th future by focusing exclusively on the presen That's were the fun is." - Donald Trump

Adrian Wu

Wow, Grade 12 already. It's been 6 years, and it has all gone by so fast. Firstly, I'd like to thank my family for being there for me all this time. Also, to all my friends both here at VC and outside of school (there seriously are too many to name, so I won't. but they're mainly the B-boys, LFA'ers, the Magee and DT guys, and others. You all know who you are.) I'd like to say thanks for giving me such great memories and friendships that'll last a lifetime. Lastly, good luck to the Graduating class of 2007. Peace.

Jason Wu

Please refer to Vincent Cheung's graduatio writeup.

"Let's go sing Karaoke!"

Timon Wu

Five years ago, I walked into VC regretting going to an all guys school. After five short years, all regrets were erased and this ride has finally finished. There have been ups and downs, but in the end, I've learned all the skills needed to reach my goals. Thanks go up to God, my parents, the sister, all the boys (you know who you are) for helping me smooth out the bumps these past five years. Greatest moments: Richmond, Espot, Rush, Encounter 46, fireworks, etc. Keep em' comin'! "For the day I die, imma touch the sky" - Kanye West

Garvan Yeung

Wow, five years and it's over already' Unbelievable! Wonderful times spent pullin all-nighters, Whistler trip, Encounter XLV sleeping in class, and God knows what othe things. Props to my family and friends. You a know who you are and I'm pressed on spac because apparently there's a word limit. Fi teen minutes has passed since that last se tence and I can't think of any more things t say. So I'll end it here because I'm late in sub mitting this. Whatever, better late than never

ason Yong

Wow. It's been five years of memories that I'll forever cherish. When I graduate though, I won't remember every little detail of my experience here, nor will I master exactly what pi is. Rather, I'll remember the little things that seemed so insignificant to me: creating sillisms, getting screamed at by the folks at Esso and Whitespot, and engaging in those long, drawn-out conversations with my friends. I attribute these memories and my entire experience at VC to God, my family (mom, dad, and Alison, I love you. Don't miss me too much when I'm away (hopefully)), and my friends. Good luck Grads of '07!

Tony Youm

Wow, a long 5 years at VC. I will never forget these years. I first want to start off by saying I love you mom and dad. I would like to thank my friends, family, and all the others that have supported me all throughout these years, and a big thanks to all the teachers for helping and guiding me through the difficult times. These treasured memories at VC will never be forgotten. God Bless. Cheers.

Henry Yu

My years in high school have gone by quickly. I wouldn't have believed that I could have made it this far, but now I am graduating! The two, memorable years at VC have been full of adventures and anecdotes. I have come to realize that when I leave VC, things will change again, but the memories of VC will be cherished. On my way to leaving, I would like to thank those who have supported and reinforced me, especially my family, friends, and teachers. "A ship is most safe when it docks in the harbour, but that's not what it is built for."

Nathan Yu

'Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.'

Matthew 5 : 10

dward Yuen

It's been a good four years. It seems not so long ago that I was wishing for school to be over and done with, but now I can't imagine leaving this place... It has got to happen. Finally, the time comes for us to start a new chapter in our lives. Best of luck to all VC Grads of 2007.

Victor Yuen

Please refer to Jason Wu's graduation write up.

"Let's go to hot pot!"

Henry Zhang

Our five year journey has finally come to an end, leaving countless sweet memories: from Yugioh to basketball, to our Secret Undercover Organization. Thank you, Lord, for blessing me with great friends and parents who have always been there for me. Thank you for your love.

All parties have an end. But your friendship will always keep me company, and VC will always be in my heart. Dear friends, I wish the Grads of 2007 all the best in future endeavours; you will always be in my prayers.

"Dear God, may it be done to us according to Your will."

Touch of Class

"BLT"

BAUTISTA, Nicco
KWOK, Bosco
LIM, Joseph
WAN, Carson
ZHANG, Henry
CHUA, Stefan
LEUNG, Bryan
MA, Anthony
YEUNG, Garvan

"Flippin' Back to the Now"

ARCIAGA, Kristian
HATUD, Daniel
SANTOS, Kyle
GUEVARA, Patrick
NACAR, Joshua

"St. Paul's Alumni"

BANTING, Andrew
CHUA, Stefan
DA SILVA, Arthur
GUEVARA, Patrick
KENG, Alvin
KERR, Tristan
LAM, Jason
NG, Derek
NG, Francis
NG, Jeffrey
WU, Timon

"H4L"

CHAN, Andrew
CHEUNG, Vincent
KWOK, Bosco
MUI, Alvin
TAM, Andy
WONG, Jonathan
WU, Jason
YUEN, Victor

"Delta + 1"

CHU, Eric
FAST, William
MACRAE, Michael
CROOK, Dyllan
KOCH, Danny

"Elementary Schoolers"

CHALISSERY, Jeffrey
LUI, James
WONG, Darren
LEE, Jonathan
QUITZON, Sam

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"Paws for Life"

CHAN, Kenneth
LAM, Geoffrey
LO, Leslie
KWOK, Bosco
LAU, Cornelius
NG, Derek

"6 Degrees"

DE SILVA, Dane
KERR, Tristan
LUI, Alexander
KENG, Alvin
LEE, Phillip
WONG, Kelwin

"PPP"

CHANG, Justin
DA SILVA, Curt
DOMINGO, Joshua
HUNTER, Nick
LAU, Curtis
MENDOZA, Charles
RONQUILLO, Richard
SANTOS, Kyle
UY, Eric

"Friends in D Major"

DE SILVA, Dane
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KENG, Alvin
KERR, Tristan
LEE, Phillip
LUI, Alexander
NACAR, Joshua

"Simply Attitude"

CHUA, Stefan
GUEVARA, Patrick
NACAR, Joshua
DA SILVA, Curt
HATUD, Daniel
QUITZON, Sam

"B-Town"

CHALISSERY, Jeffrey
LUI, James
WONG, Darren
LE, David
THIND, Govin
WU, Adrian

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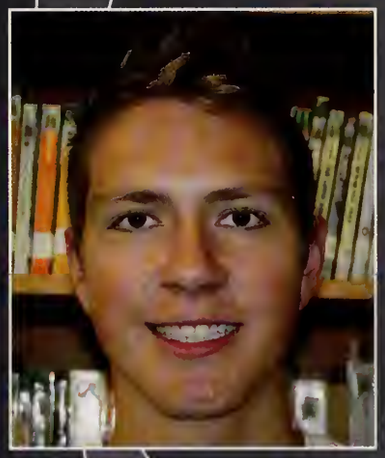

Anthony Jacob

James Lui

Jonathan Lee

13 Year Men

Thirteen years ago- it was the fall of ninety-four
We came to know these hallway floors
These rooms, these halls, the gym, the caf.
In all these places we've shared a laugh

We were young then, and since have grown
VC's a school we can call our own
We've seen them come, we've seen them go
The best go last, and that we know
The games we've played, the lessons we've learned
To this school we've always returned
We've seen our growth, in size and knowledge
Thirteen of us, here at Vancouver College

From the field to the class, it's excellence that we strive
All these years of keeping the Irish Spirit alive
The homework, the pains, the fun, the games
We know when we leave, it won't be the same
And though we've grown comfortable, in each our own Crowd

We've stuck together, and of that I'm proud
Through the years, we've come from bottom to top
It's been a hell of a ride, and this is the last stop
And though we move on, to pursue our own plans
We will never forget where it all began.

Semper Fidelis

-James Lui

Michael Macrae

Alvin Mui

Austin Thorne

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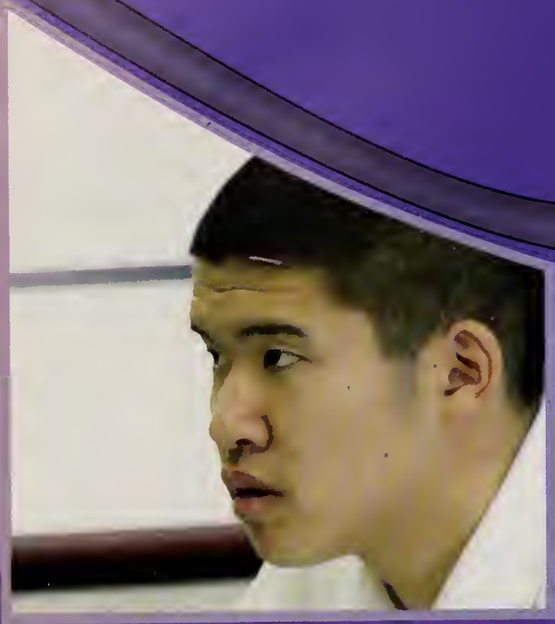
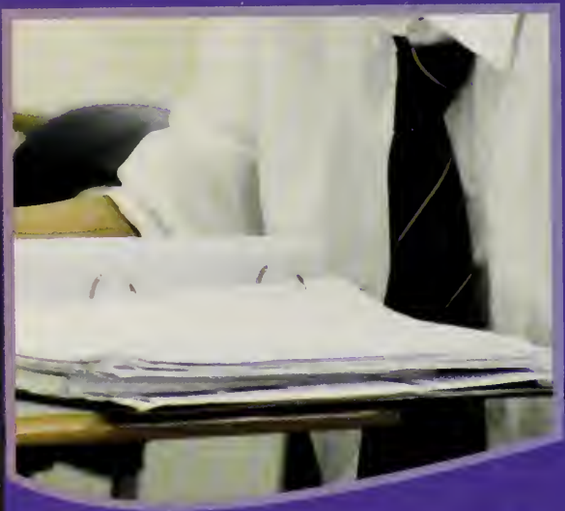
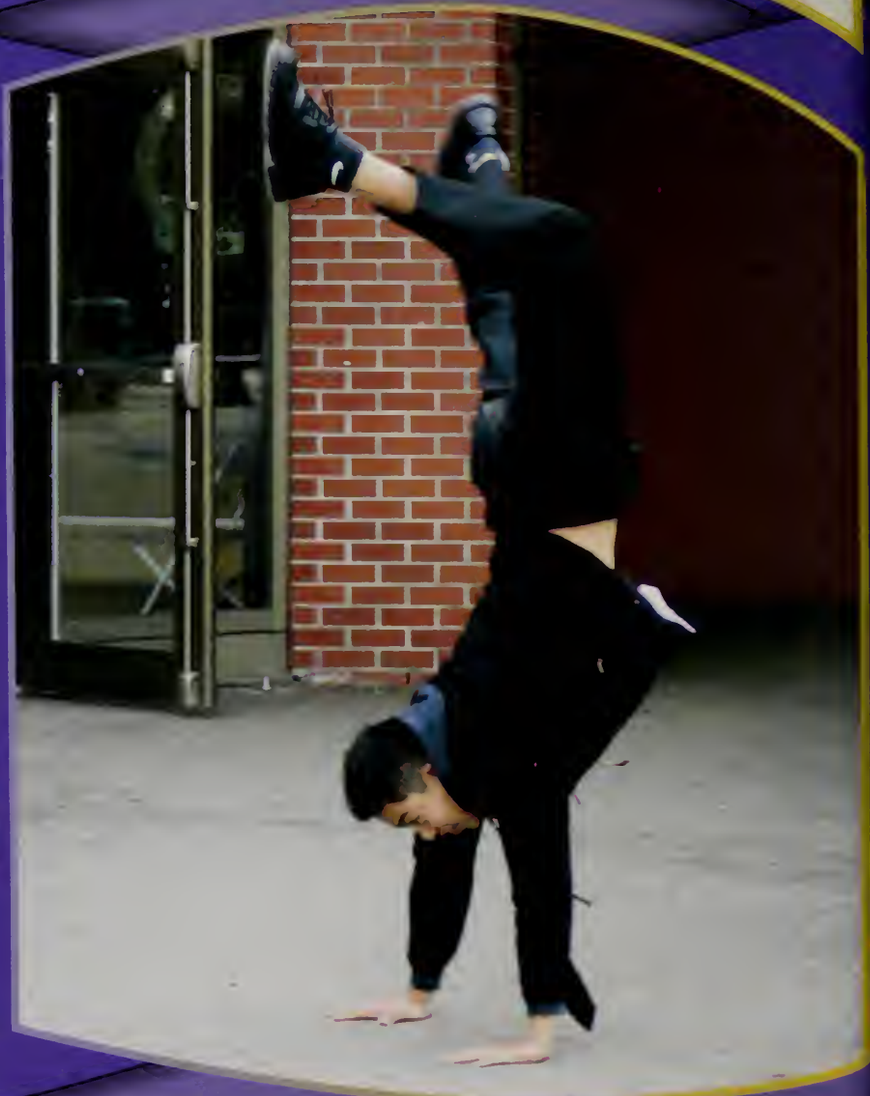
Student







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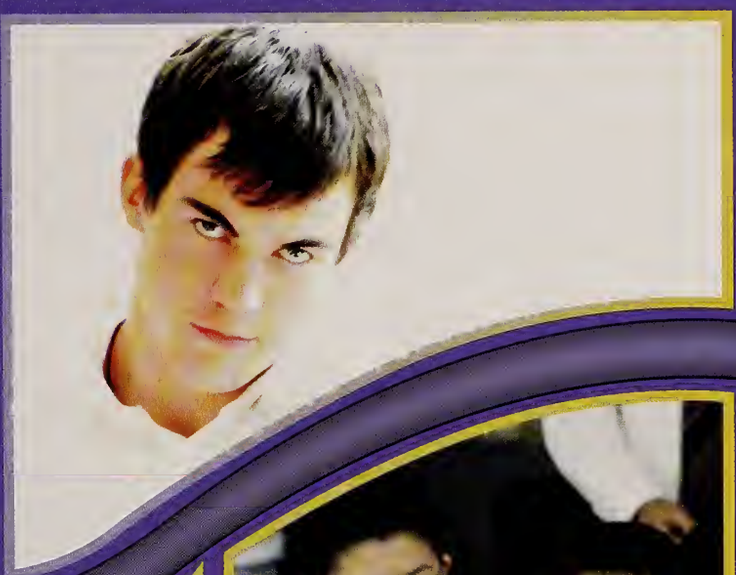

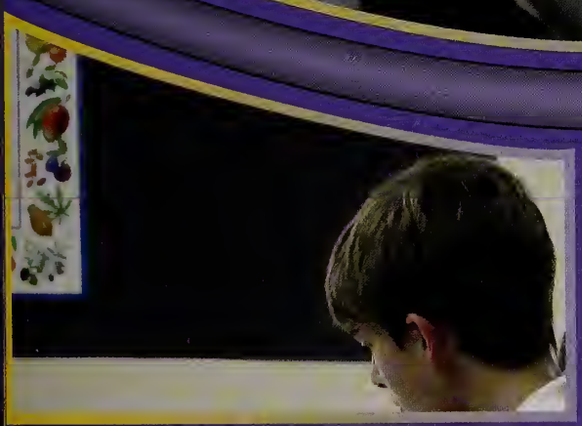

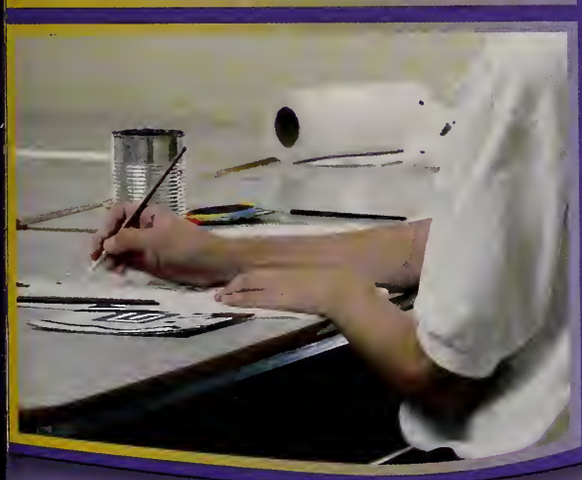

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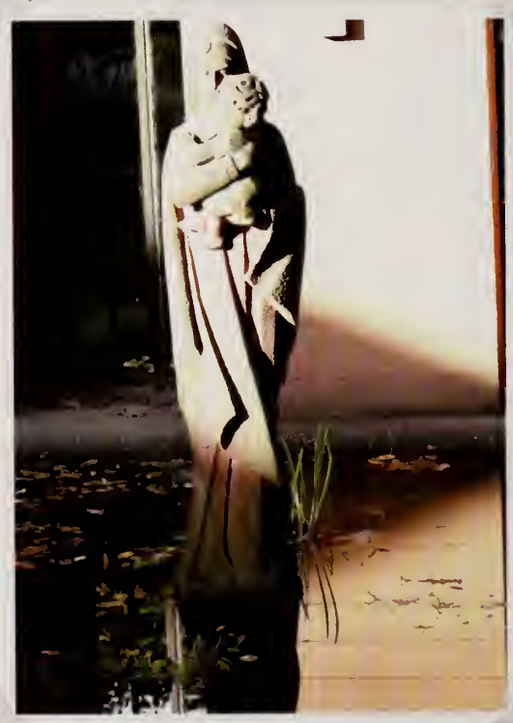

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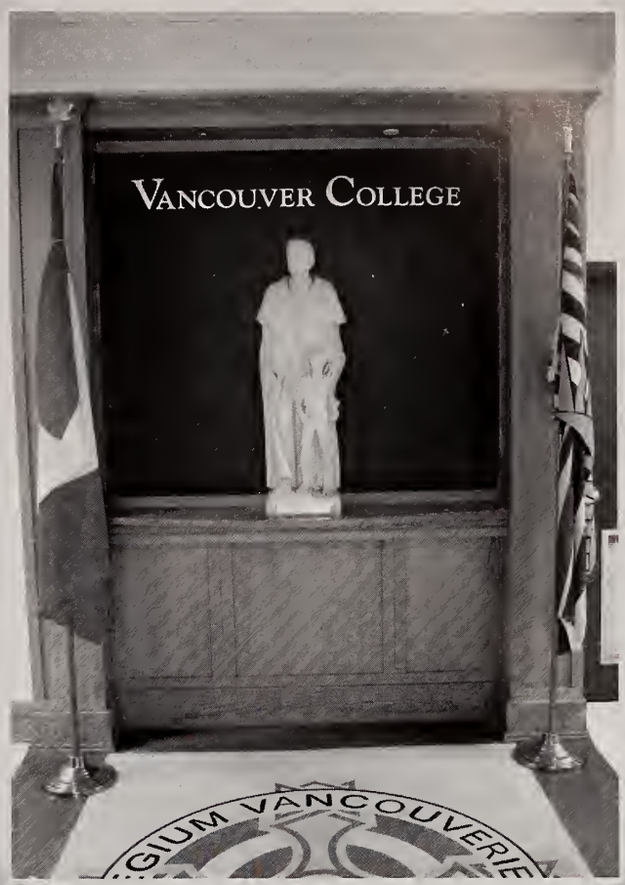
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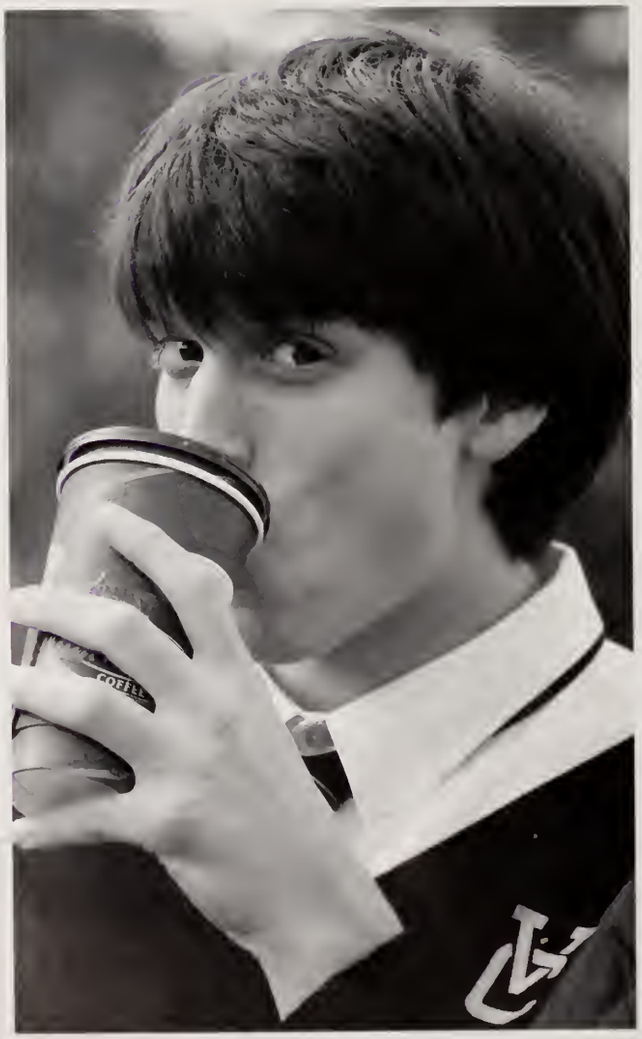

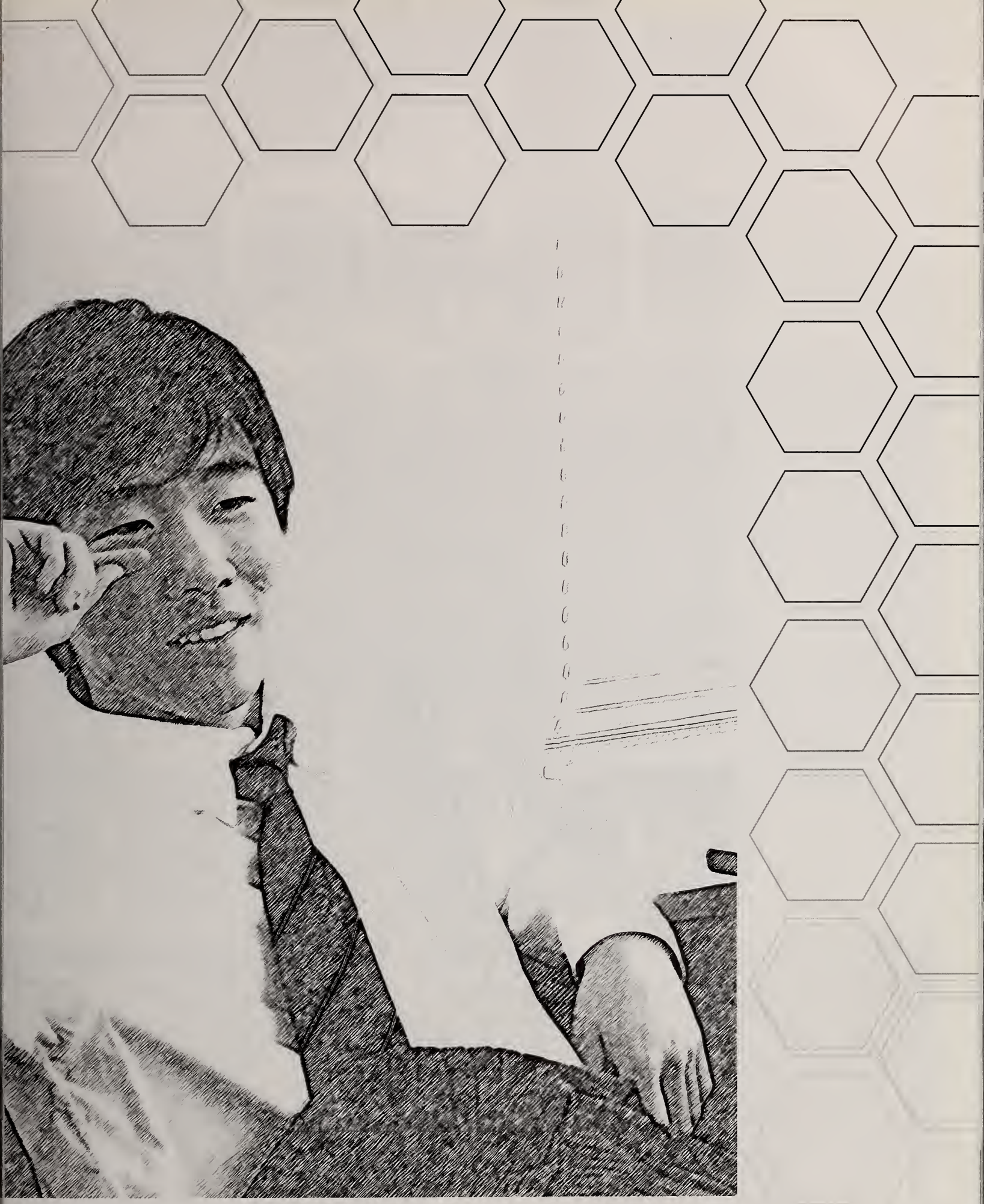

Senior School

Grade 11

Our lives continue with a new year at Vancouver College, slowly edging towards our final year. We continue an everlasting journey through life, facing many challenges, meeting new people, and moving towards our dreams. As a group of young men, we are gifted with a variety of talents, of wisdom, academics, creativity, and sports aptitude. We are a group of distinct and talented individuals, and as one united group we further develop each other's talents, to one day become a group of successful men. During this school year, our level of maturity has continued to grow, both as a community and individuals. As the school year inches closer toward the end, we develop a sense of responsibility, to become the leaders of the school in Grade 12, role models for all. We have fulfilled our destiny to be the young and talented men of Vancouver College, and we are proud. We are no longer children, we are men.

Jeffrey Abaquin
Mark Alban
Jamal Allen
Dimitri Arvanitis
Gurdeep Beesla
Riley Breen

Sebastian Browne
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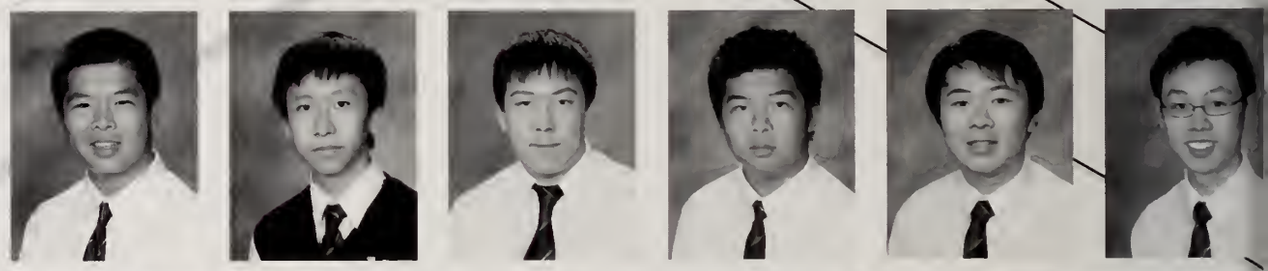

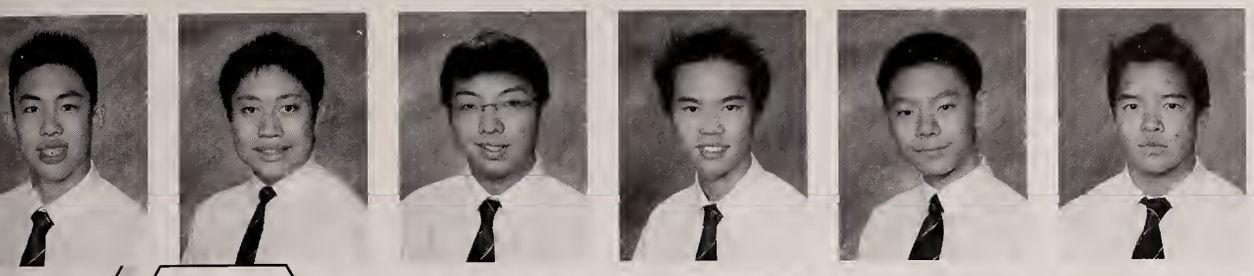

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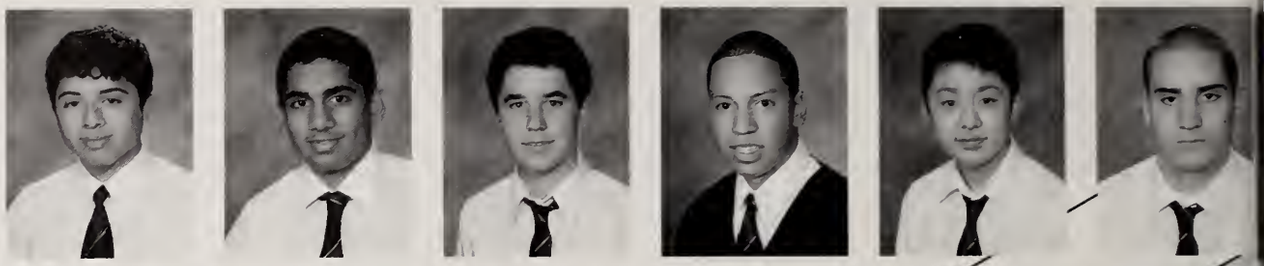

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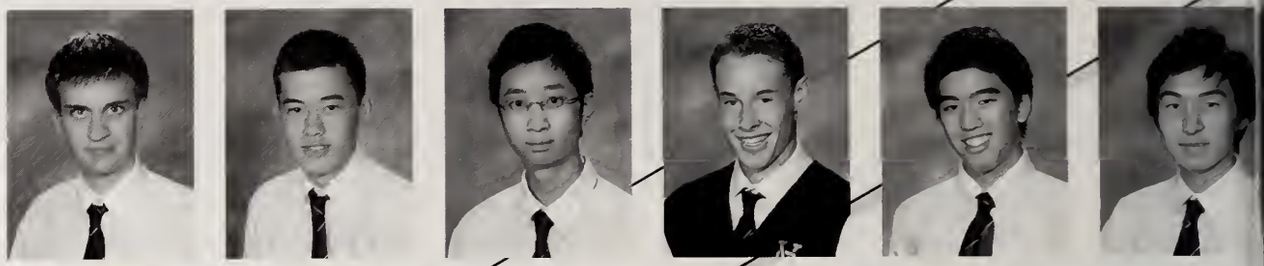

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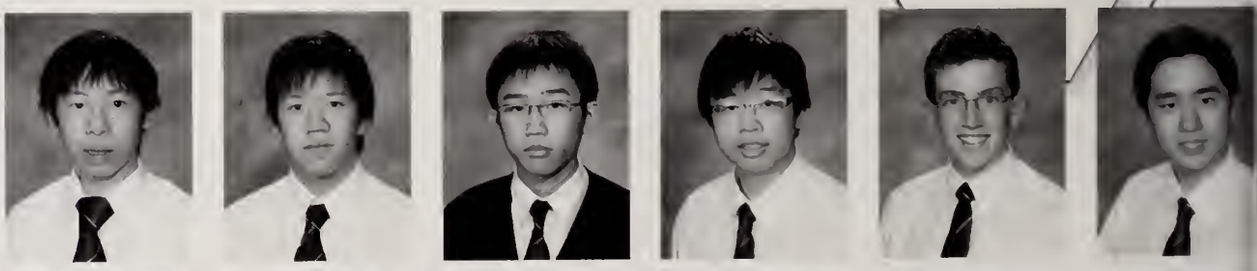

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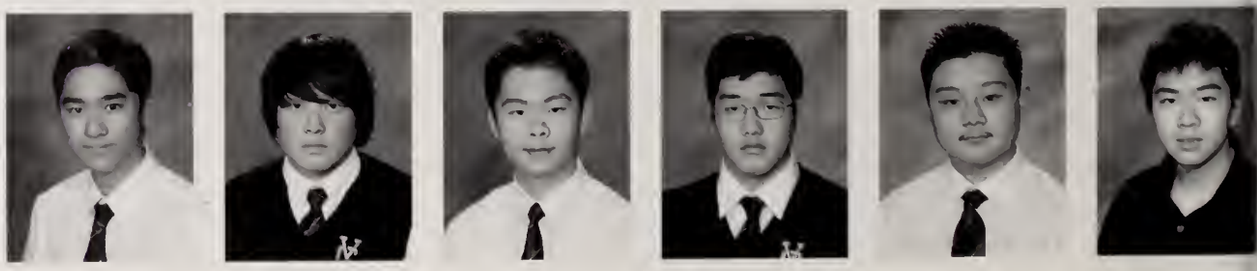

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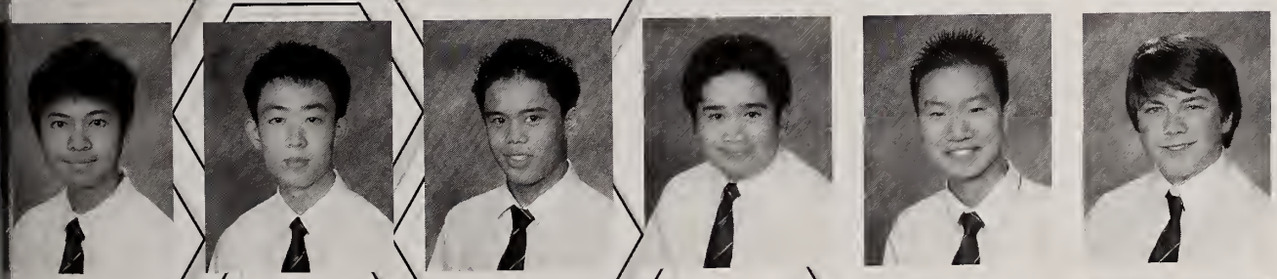

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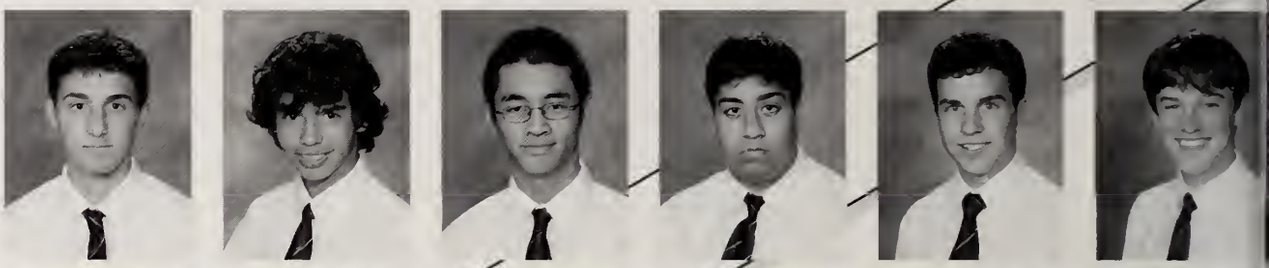

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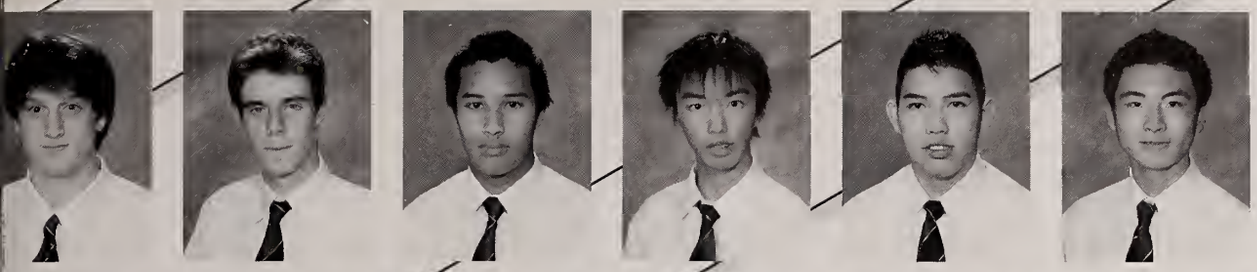

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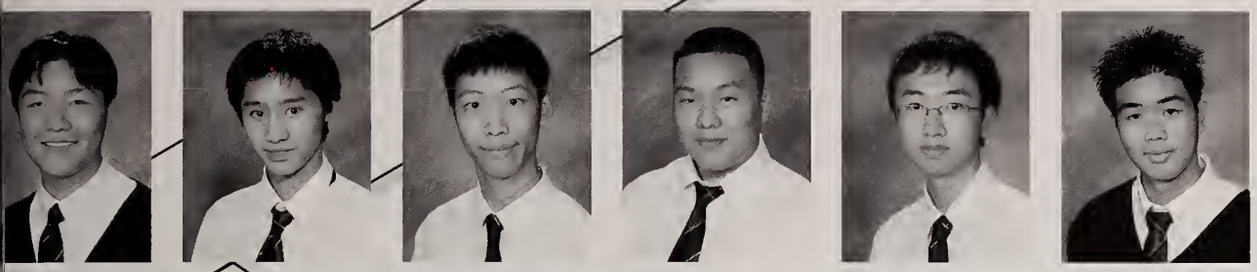

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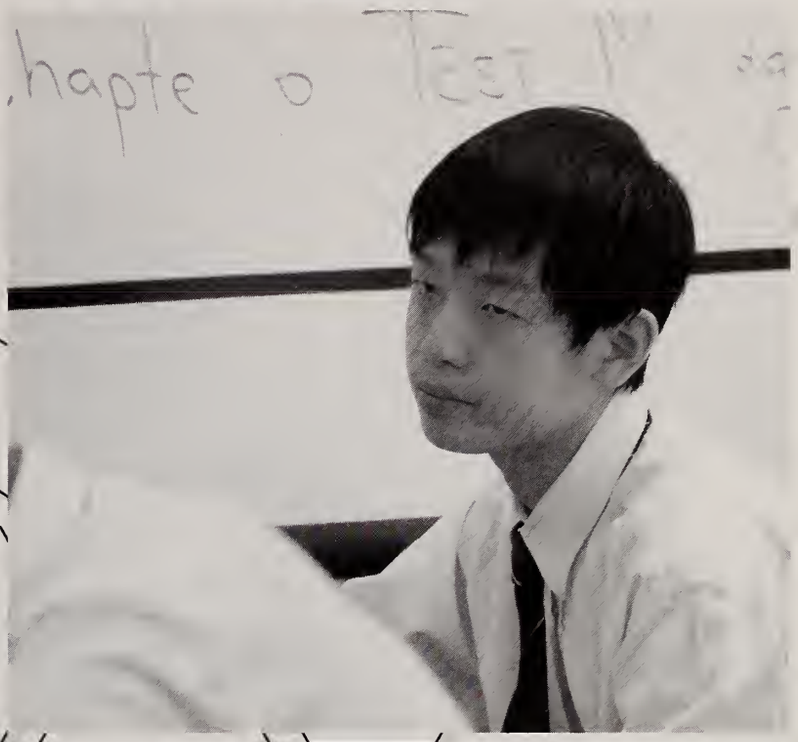

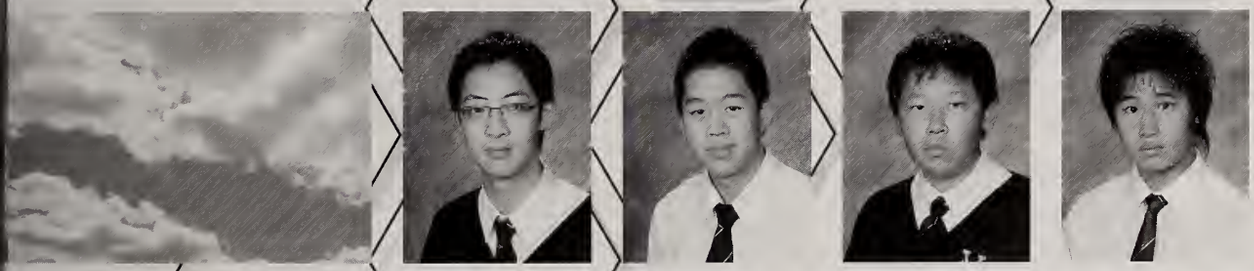

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Grade 11

Grade 10

Ask anyone (except the grads) and they'll say that Grade Ten is one of the most significant years during our short stay at Vancouver College. The Grade Ten year is the turning point of our high school lives. We are no longer innocent, young hopefuls wandering amongst the halls marvelling at spectacles such as the cafeteria. During our first years, we learn about the traditions set by those before us and dream about, one day, how our names will look on the golden plaques scattered amongst the halls. Now that we're in grade ten, we have a new task ahead of us. We've transitioned from learning about tradition. From this point onward, it is our duty to live it.

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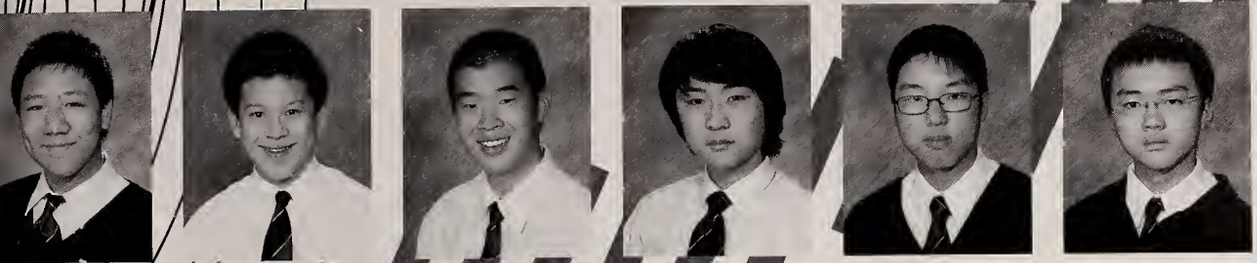

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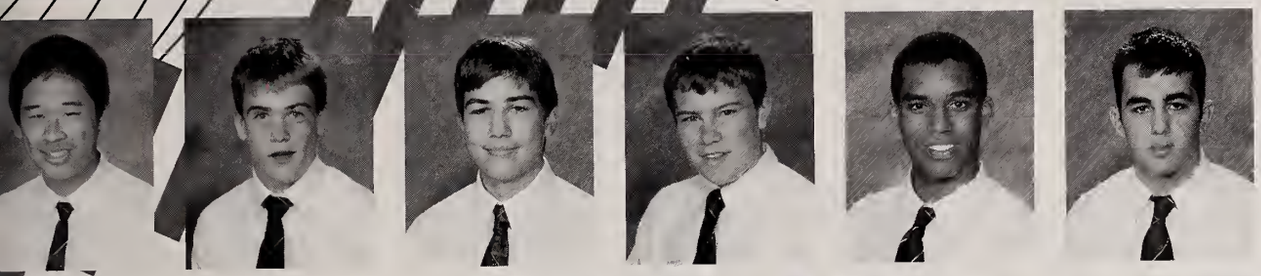

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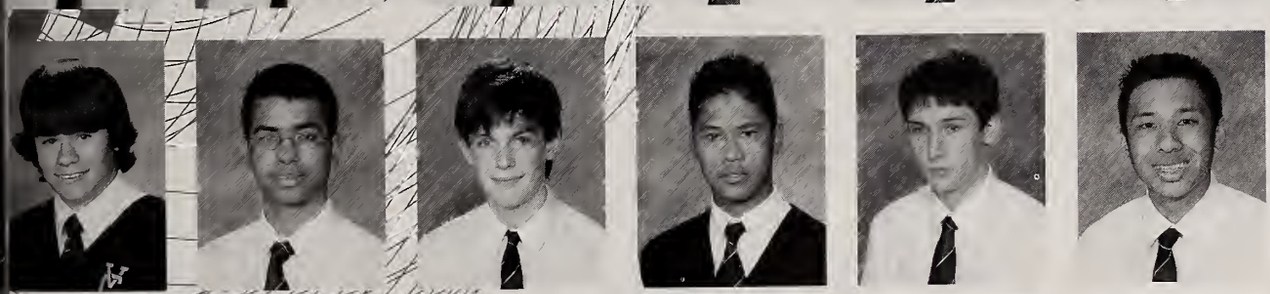

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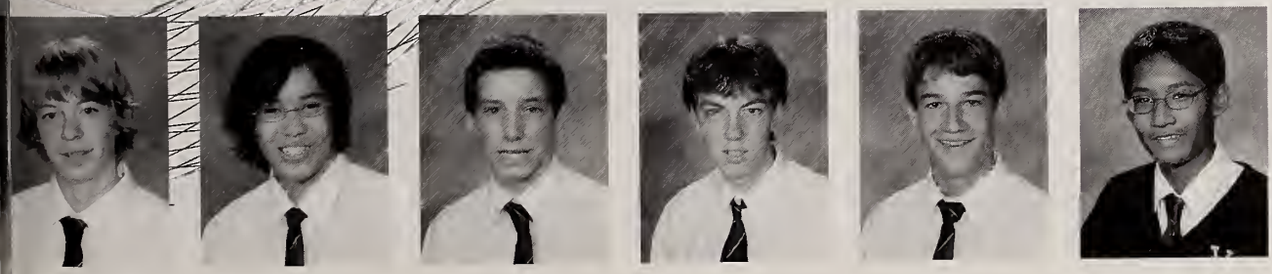

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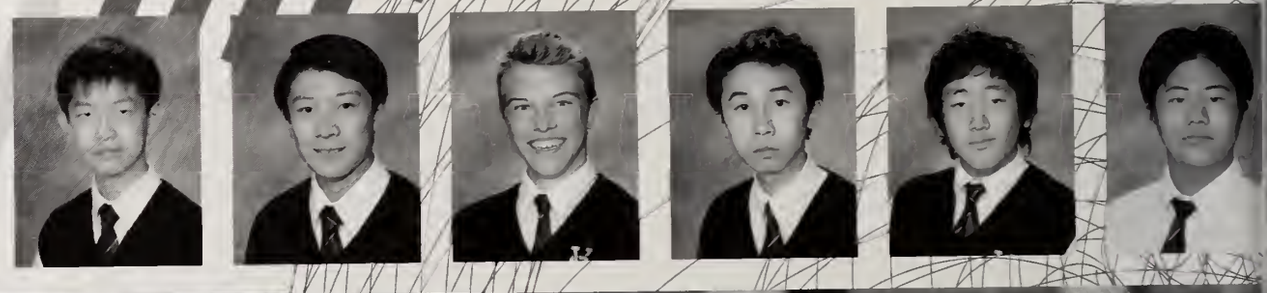

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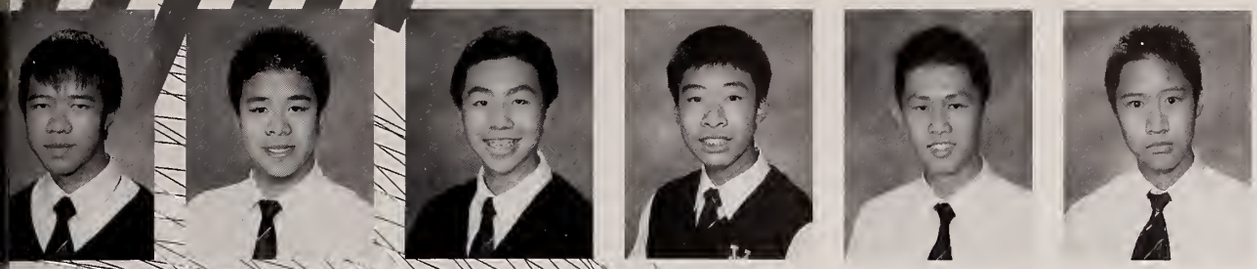

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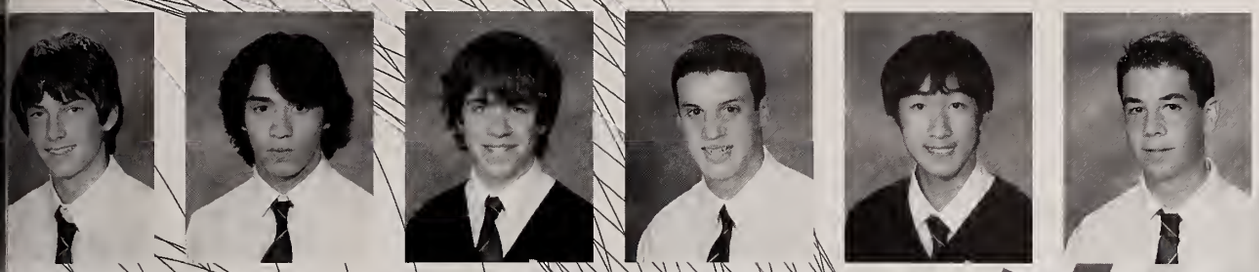

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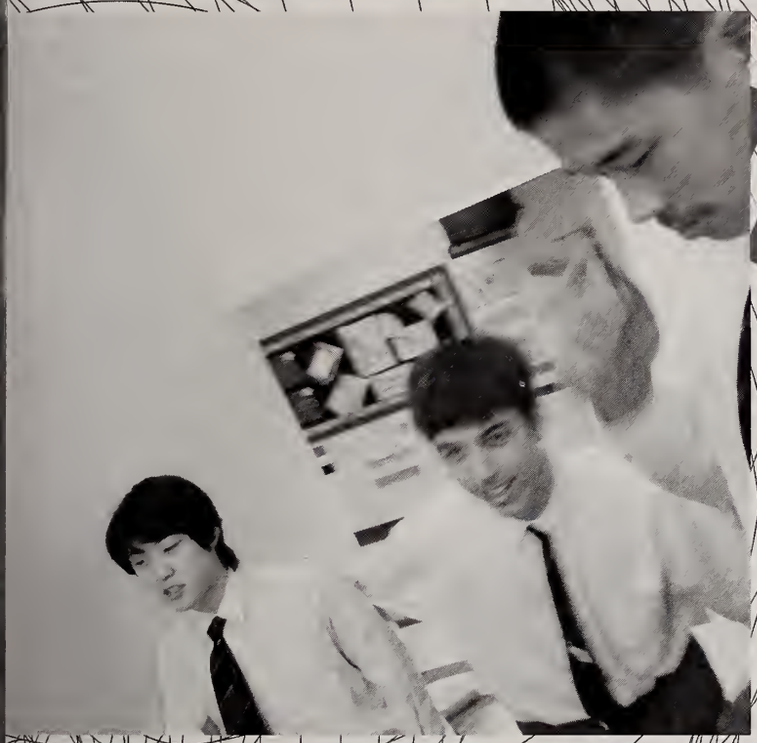

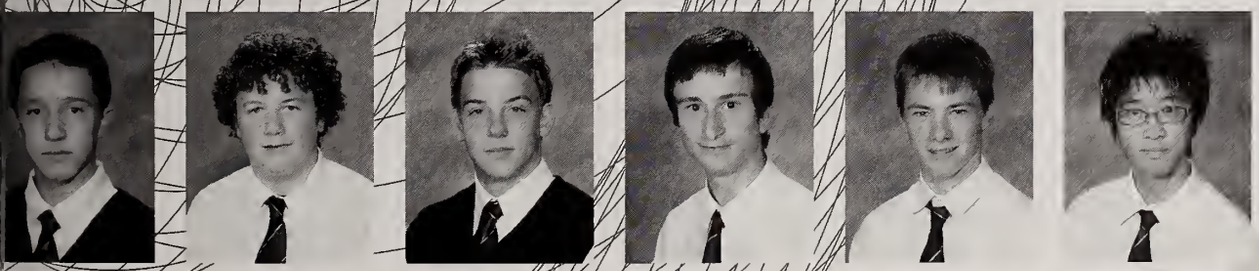

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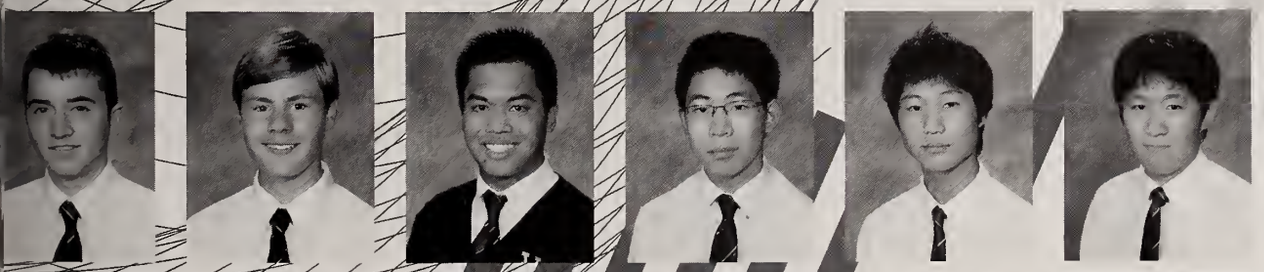

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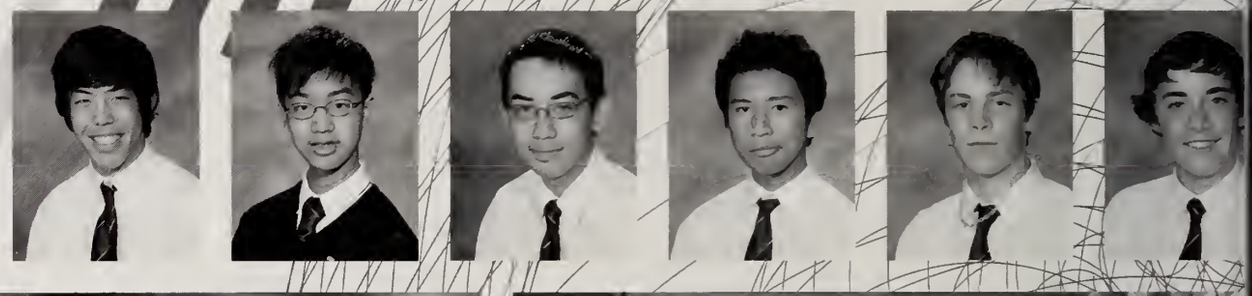

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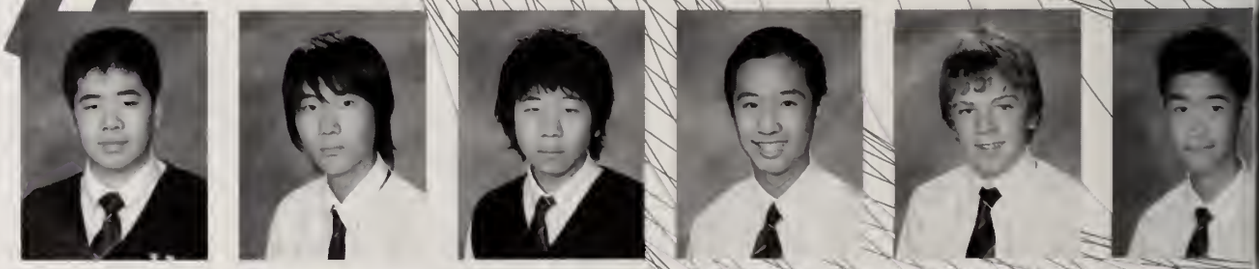

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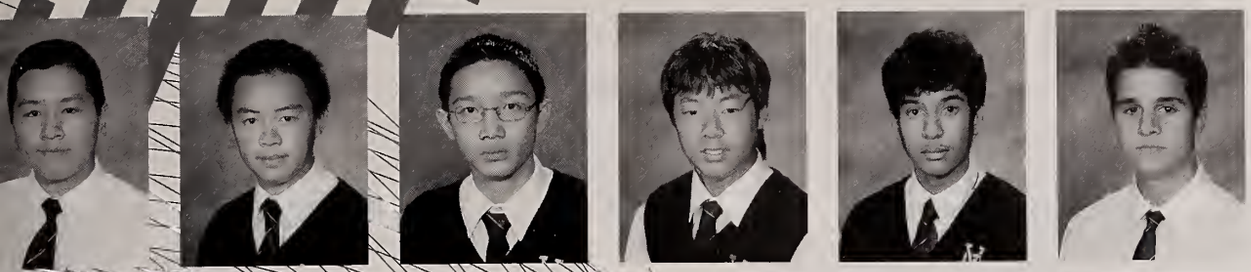

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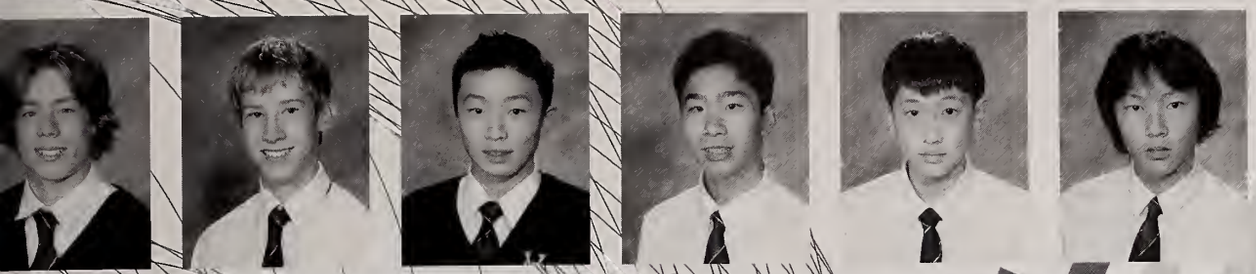

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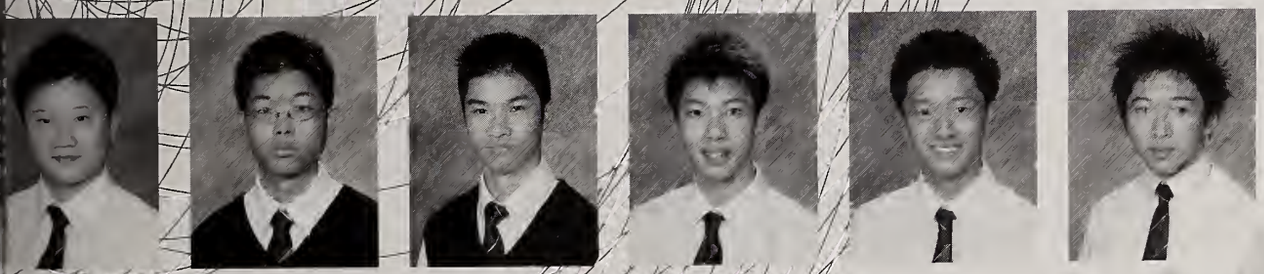

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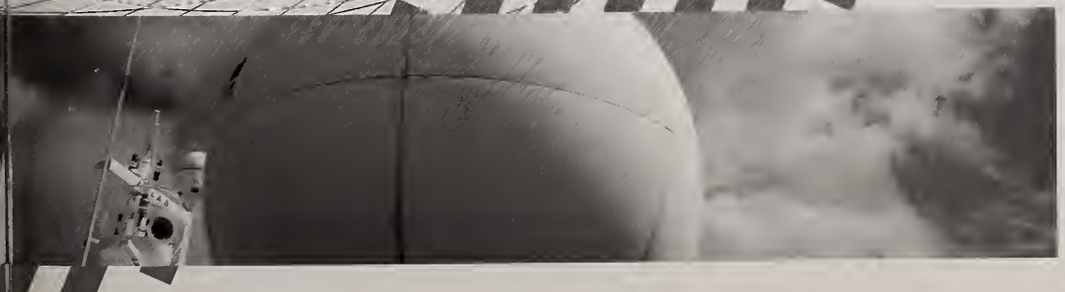

Grade 10

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Middle School

Grade 9

We enter Grade 9, now leaders of Middle School. As we overcome new struggles, we will rise to the top, and bring our lessons learned into Senior School. With new homerooms, we continue to build upon friendships that will last for the next four years. As we engrave our imprints deeper into the community that is Vancouver College, we are able to form new memories, memories that we will remember in the future. With our pathway open, we reflect on what is ahead of us, the challenges we will face, and the successes we will achieve. Although we will start at the bottom of Senior School, we will work our way to the top, and better ourselves as leaders.

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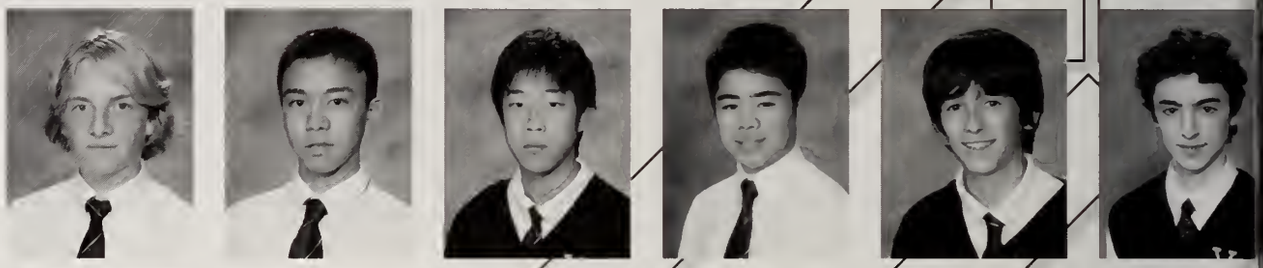

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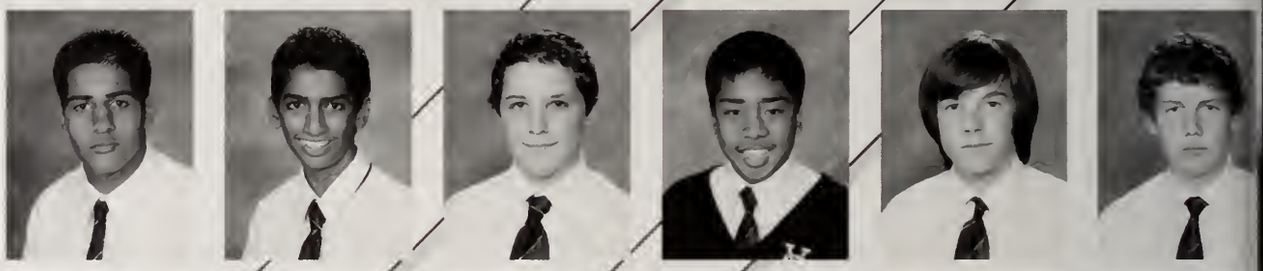

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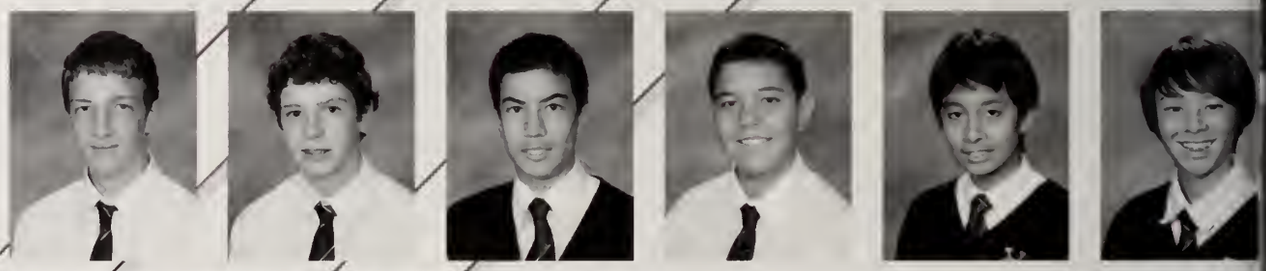

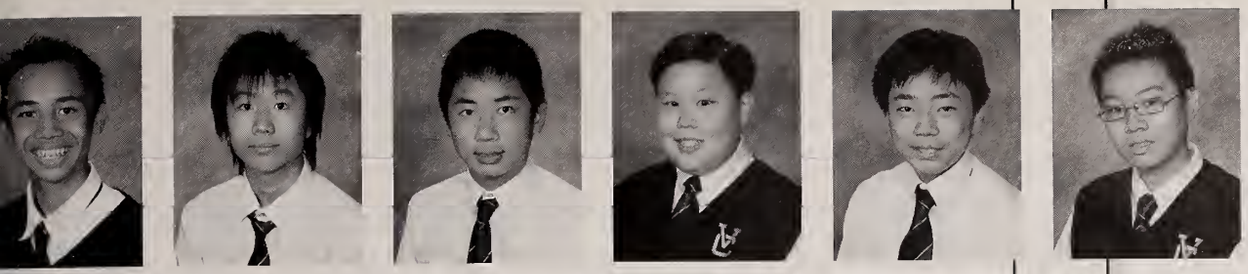

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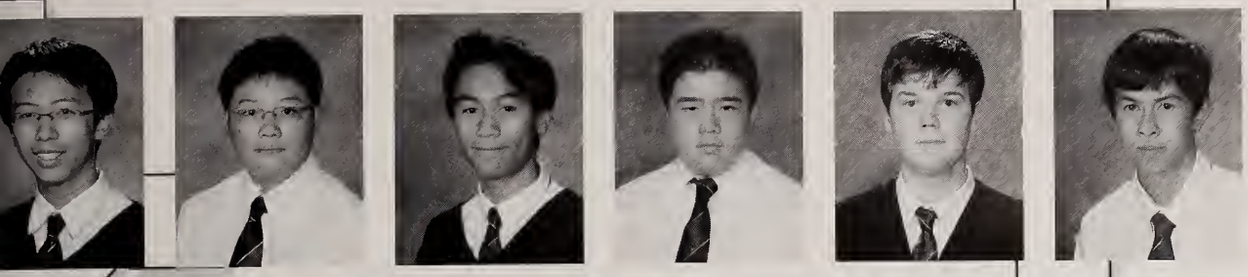

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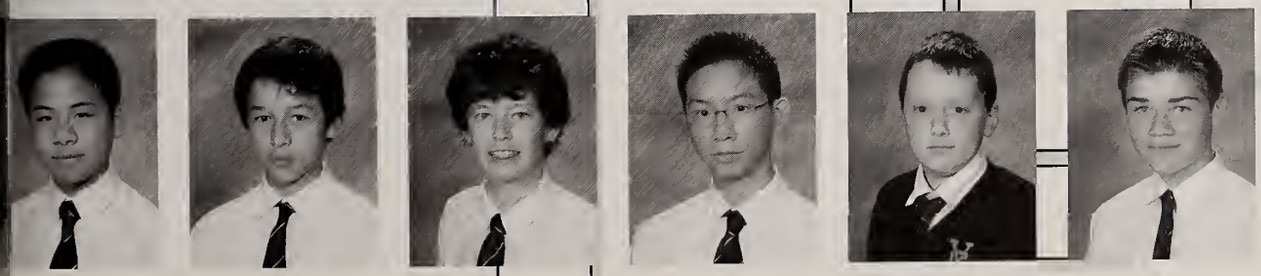

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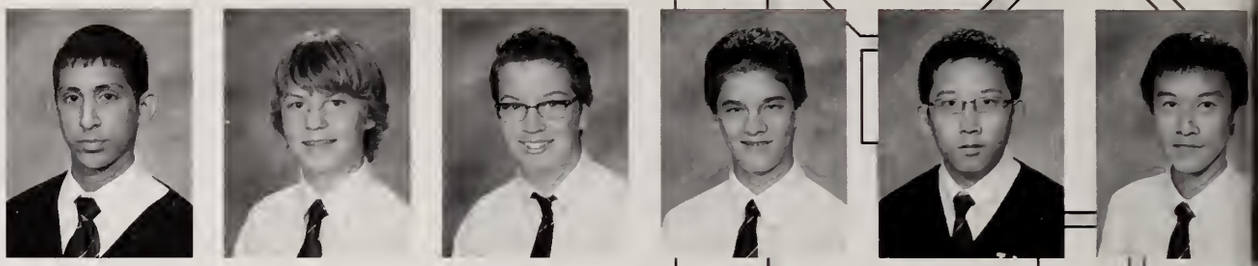

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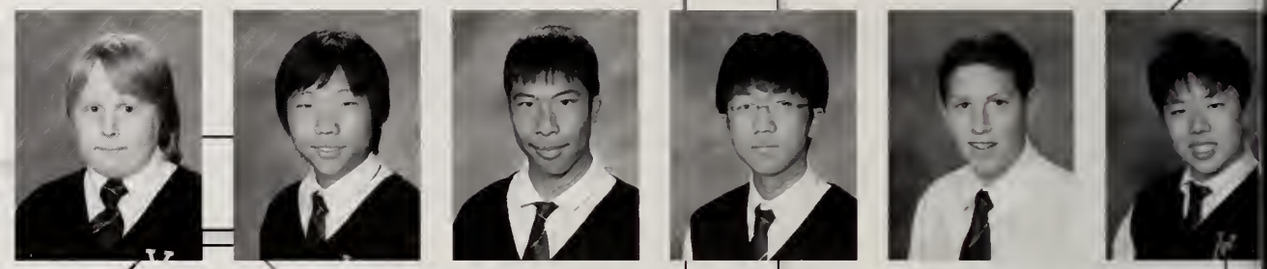

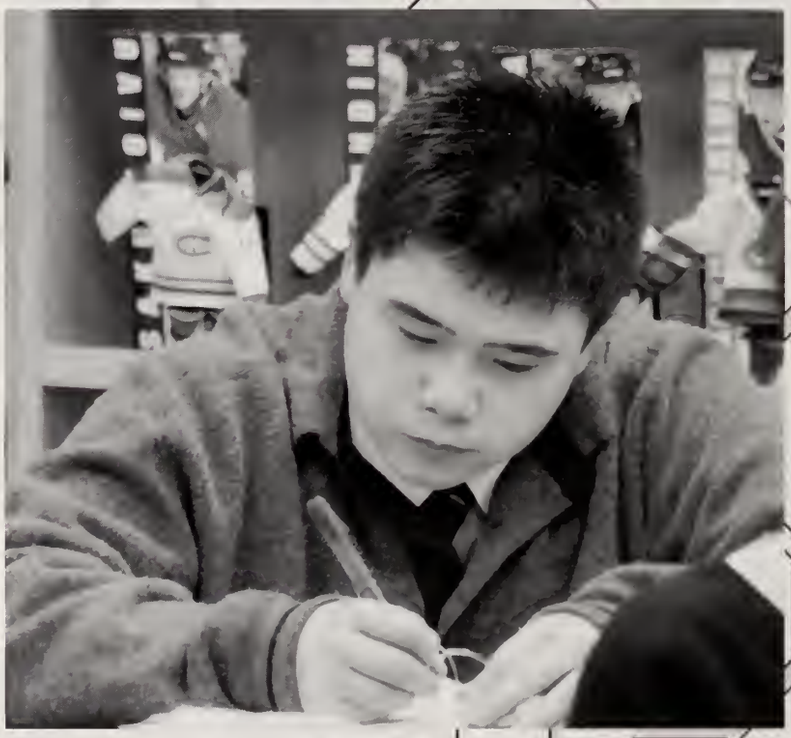

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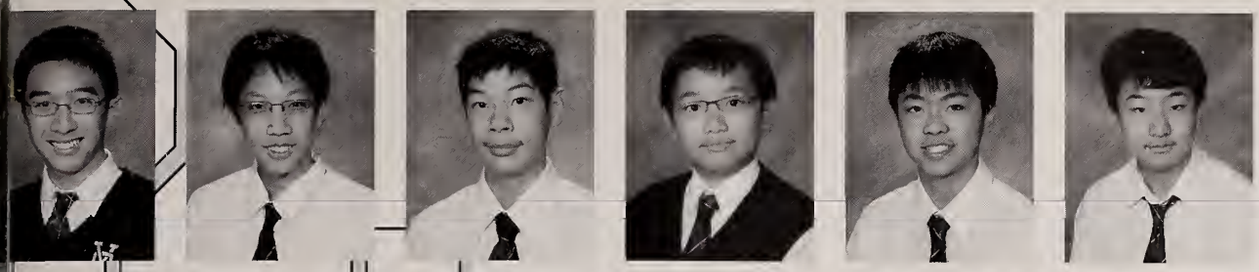

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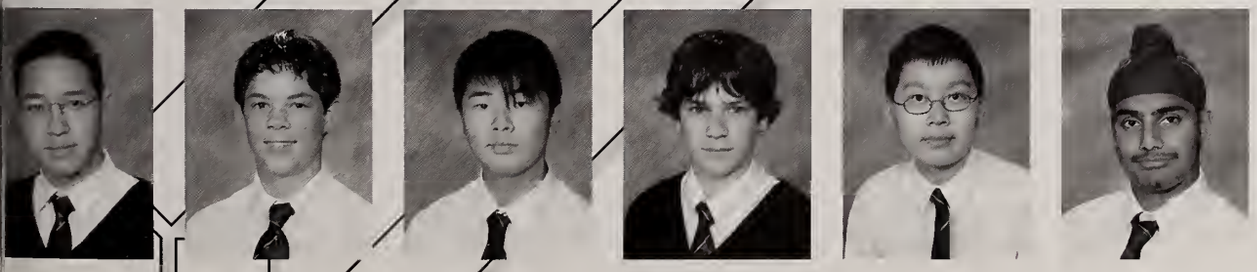

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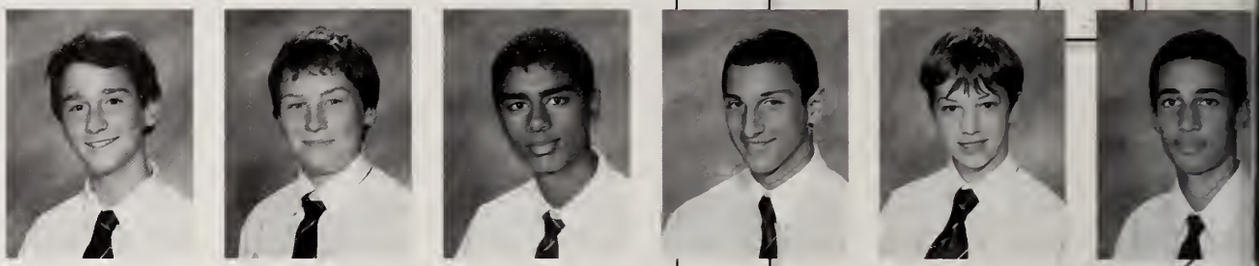

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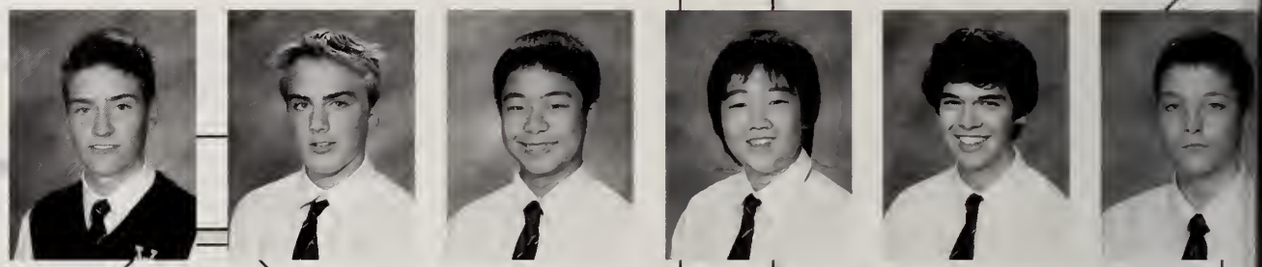

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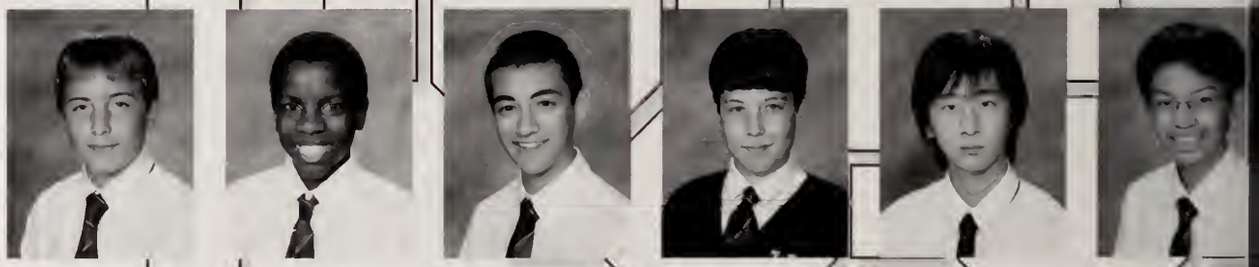

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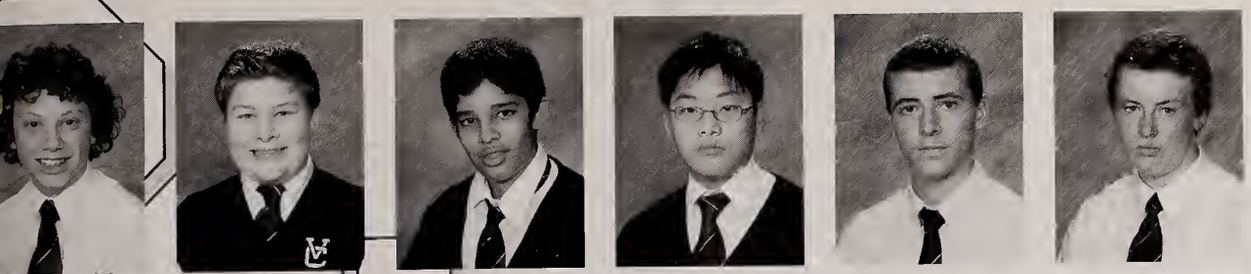

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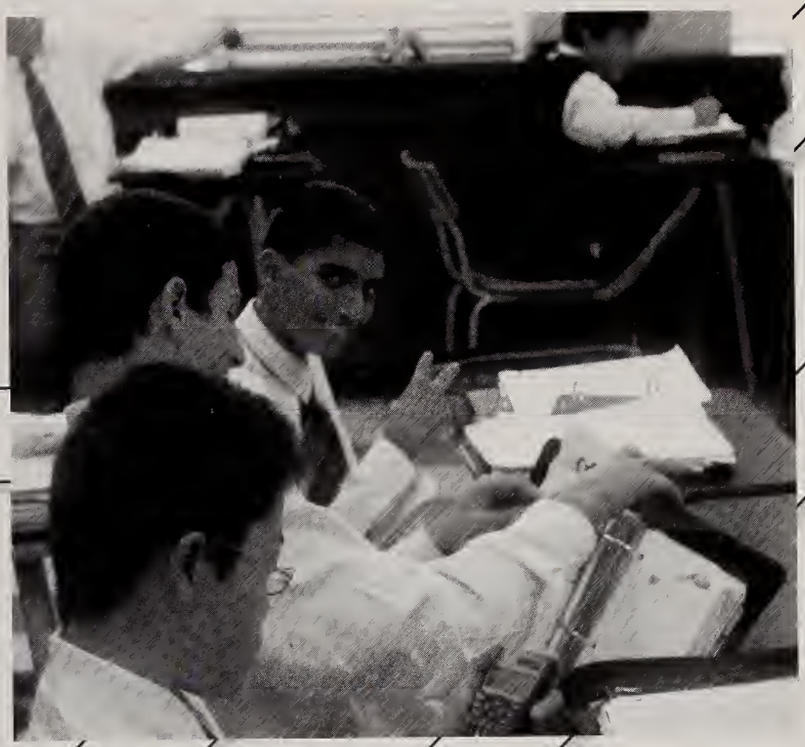

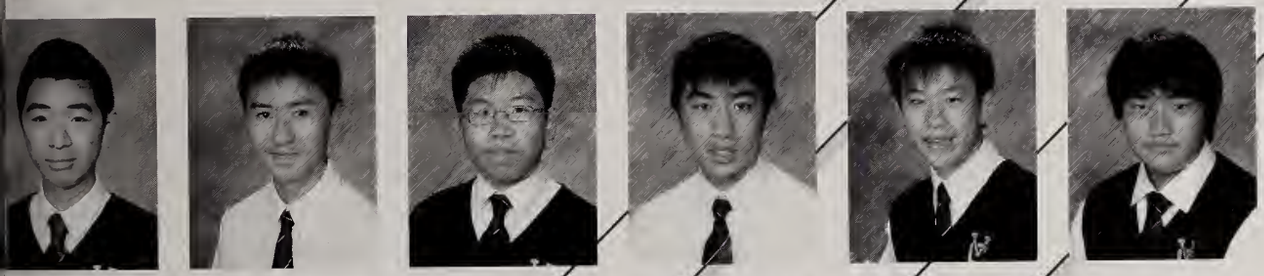

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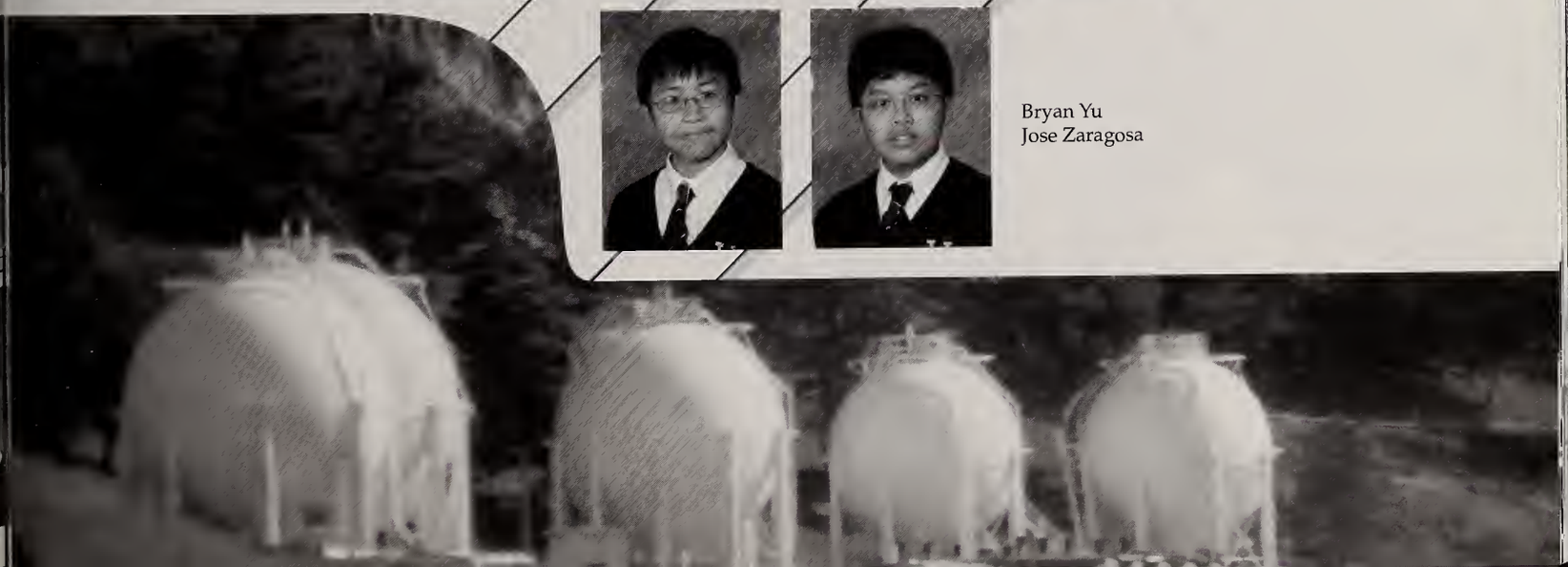

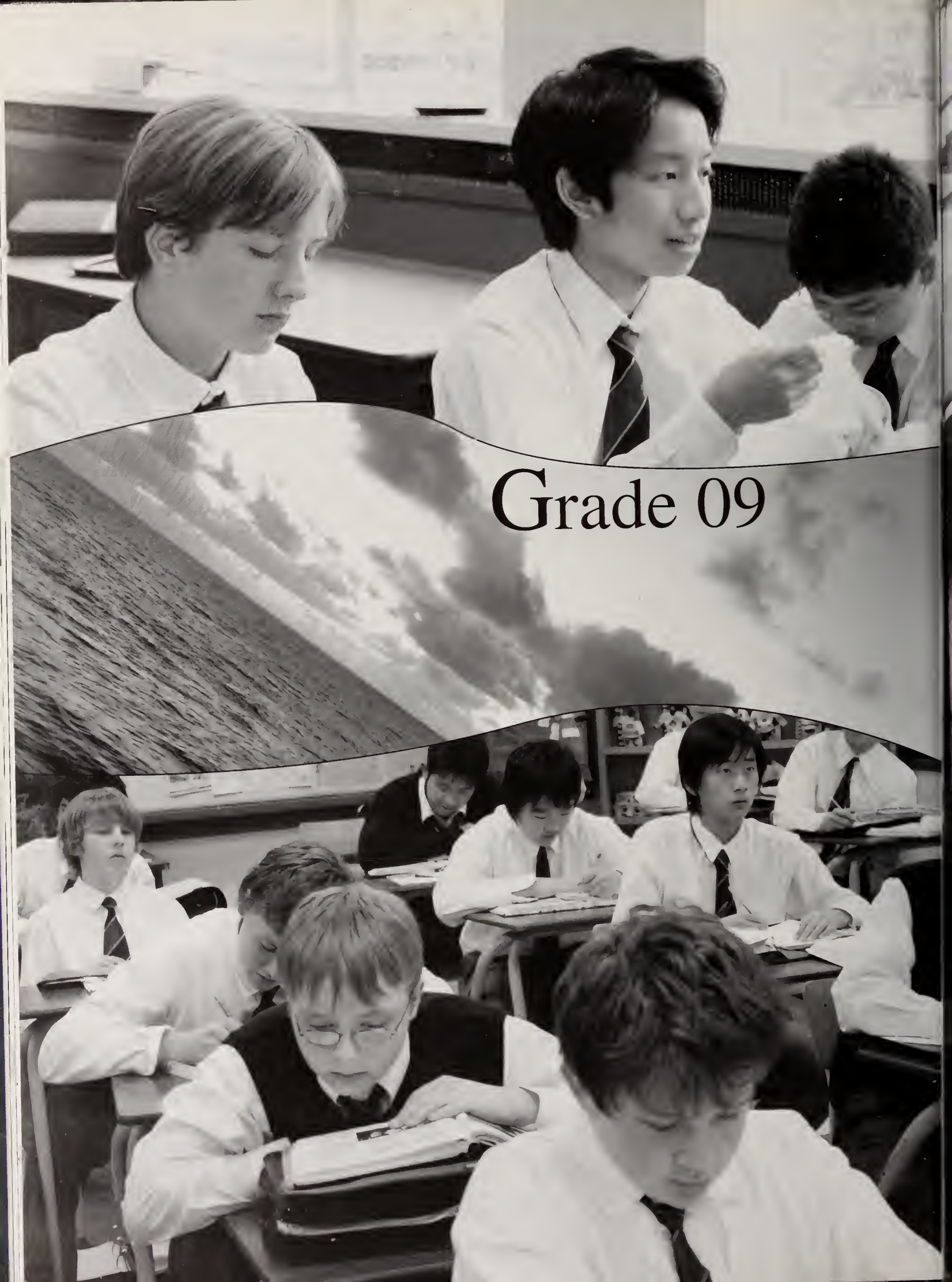

Grade 09

Grade 8

Grade 8 is the diverging point of students from many schools. As we are separated into new homerooms, we learn to gather as one, not only as a school community, but a school family. With a new set of challenges to overcome, we must learn to be independent, unlike the sheltered environment of yesteryear. Five years are ahead of us now, and we must form the beginnings of our future. With the help of old and new friends alike, we will endure tougher classes and support each other in good times and the bad. We will learn to be comfortable; now we begin our five year journey.

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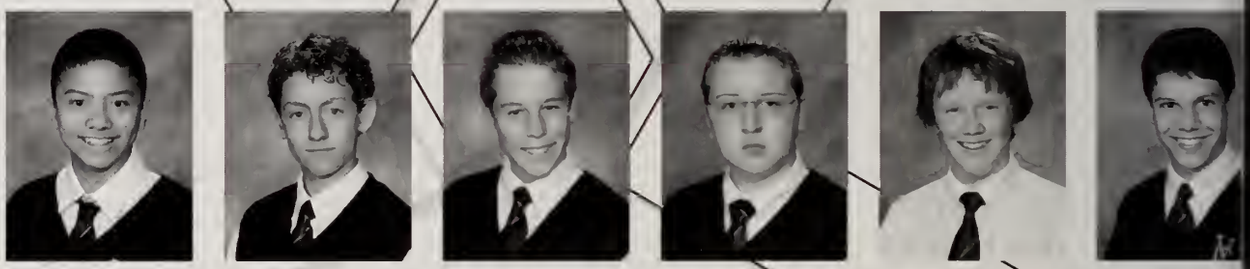

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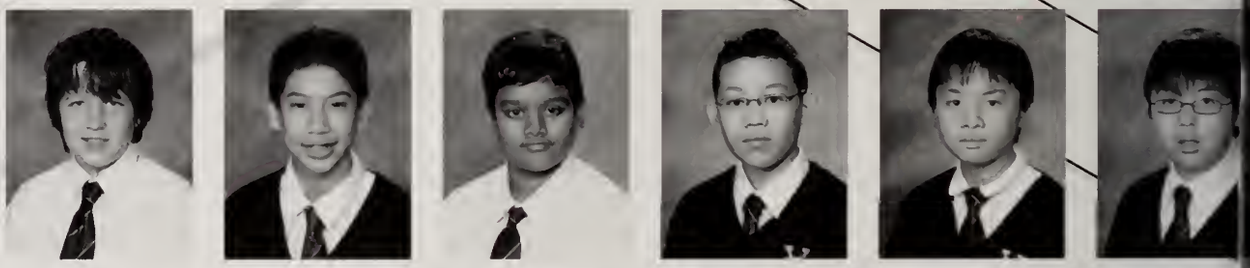

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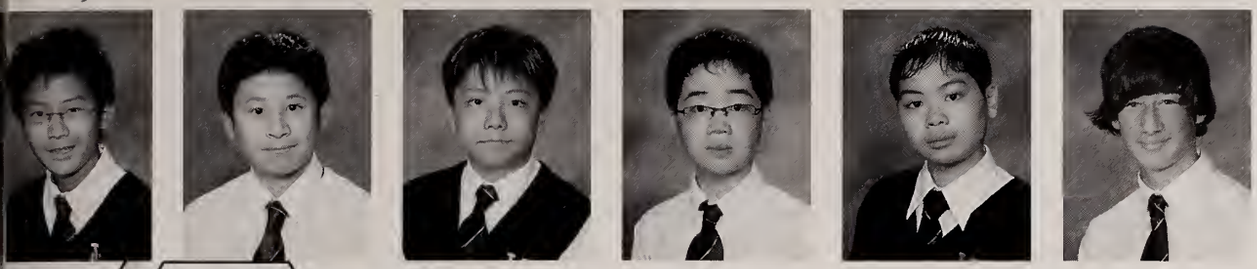

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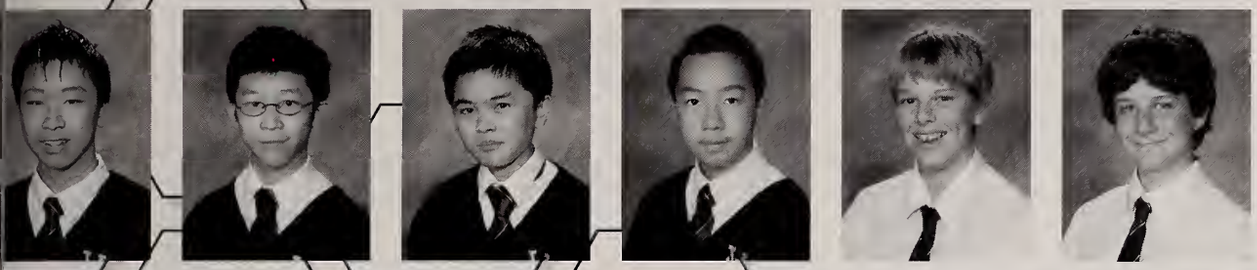

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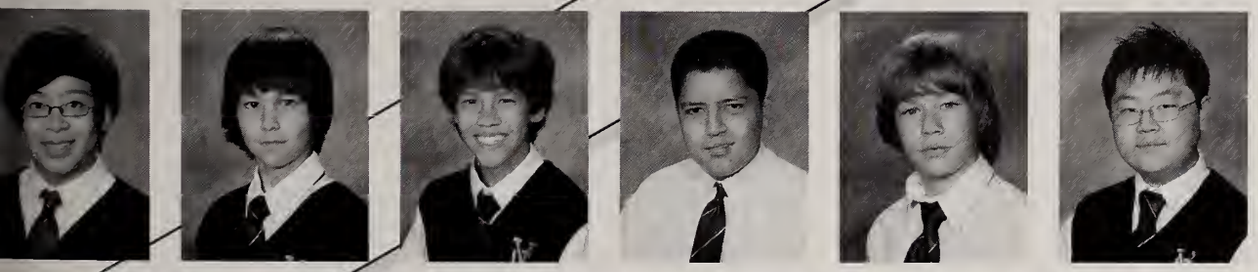

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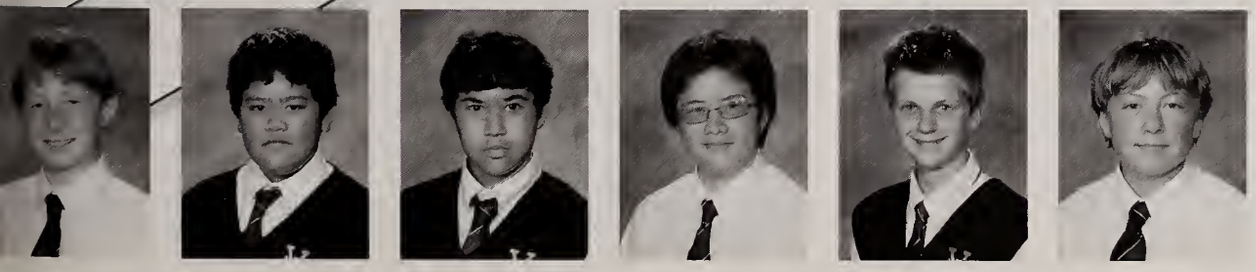

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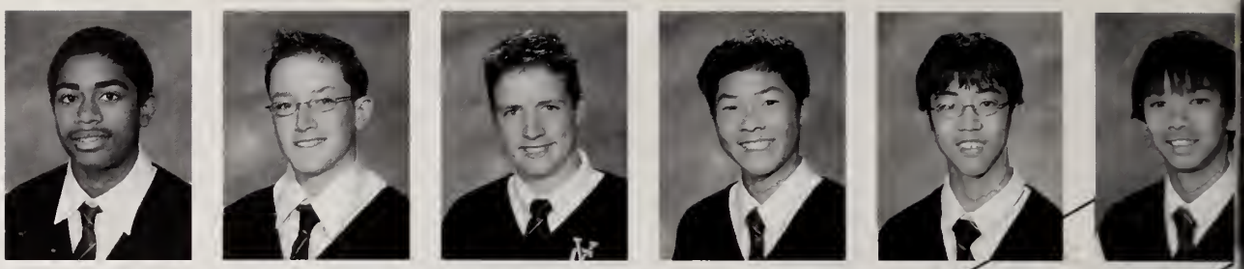

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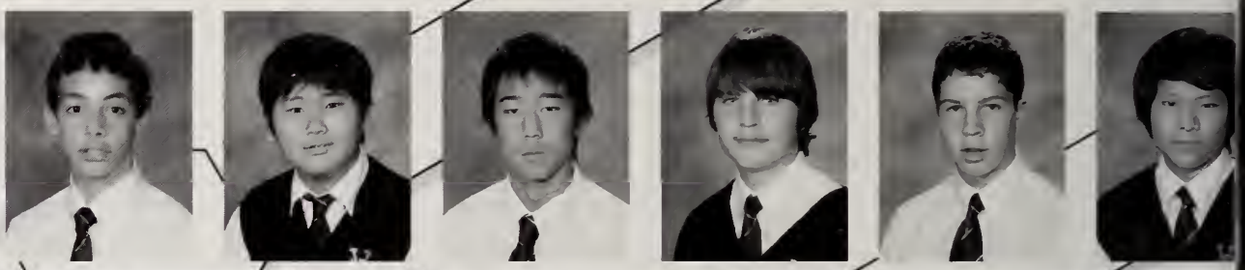

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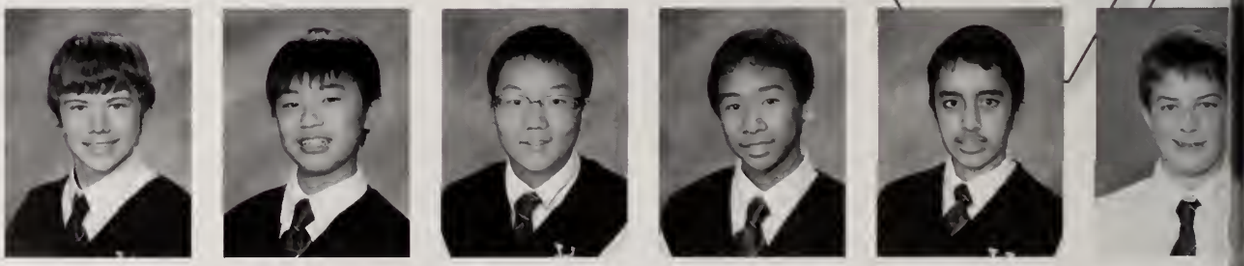

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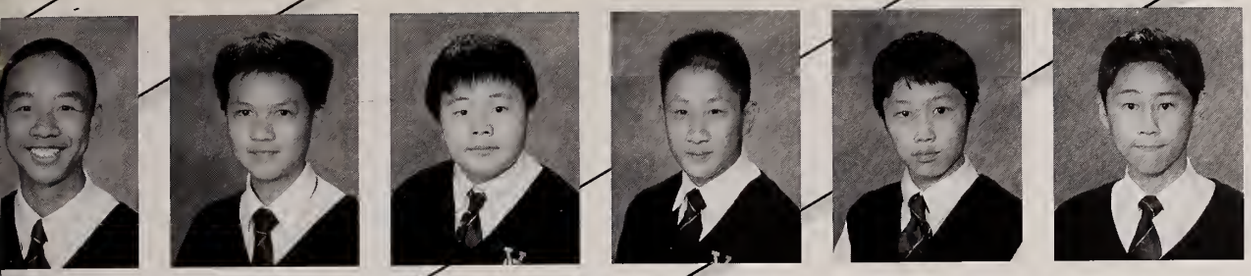

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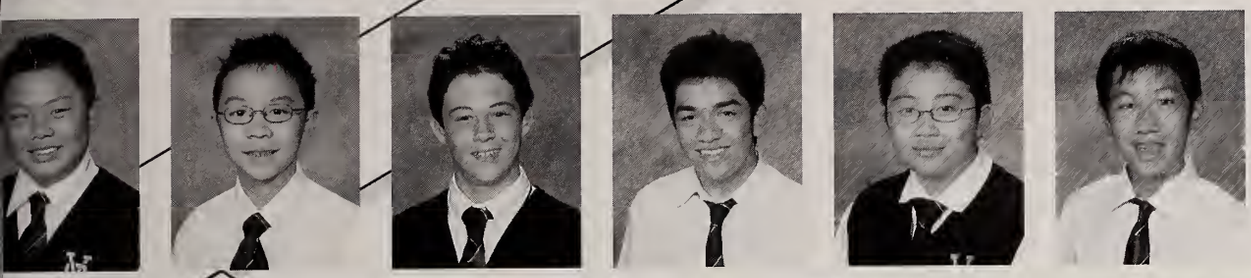

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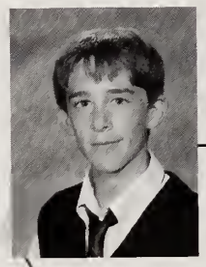

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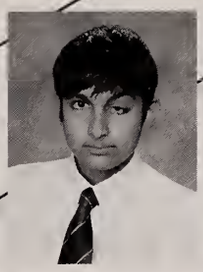

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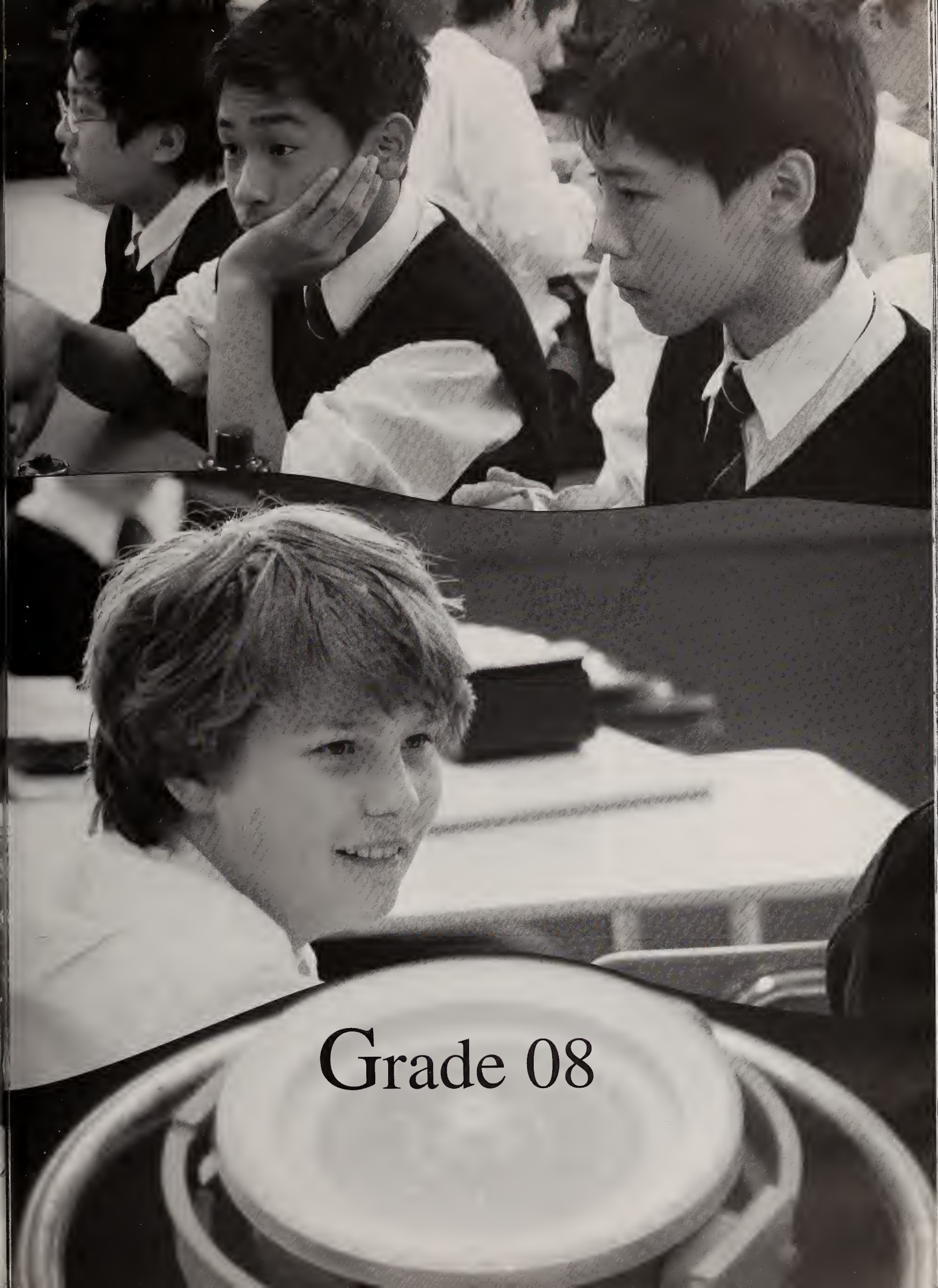

Grade 08

Grade 7

Last year, we were the leaders of the Elementary School. This year, however, marks the first time in Middle School. Leaving behind the purple sweaters, we take up the new black sweaters, symbolizing a sign of growth. We may have had new schedules and new classmates, but it is this that allows us preparation for Senior School. Our unity and oneness will strengthen us, not only as a class, but a family as well. The friends we have made will be the ones we will depend on throughout our high school life. We will face any obstacles that may be headed our way, but at least it will be done together.

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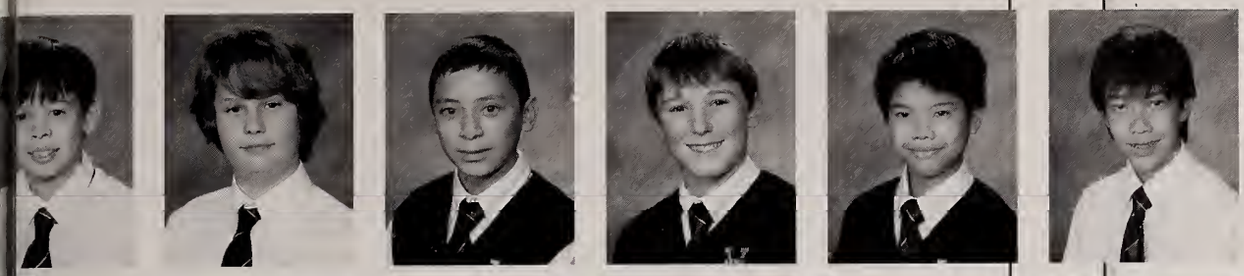

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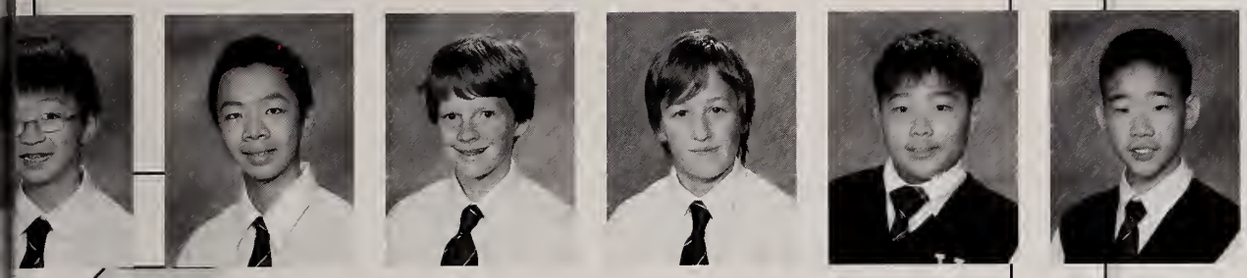

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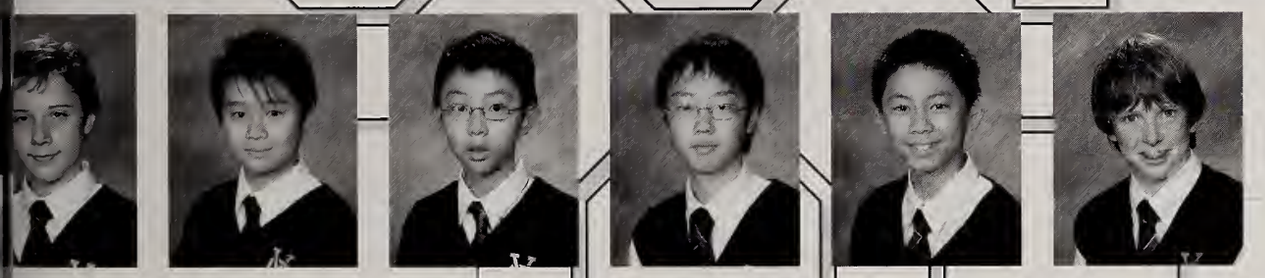

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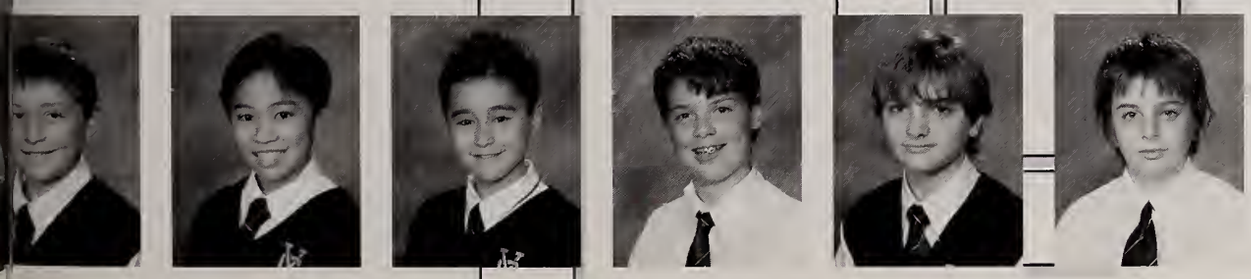

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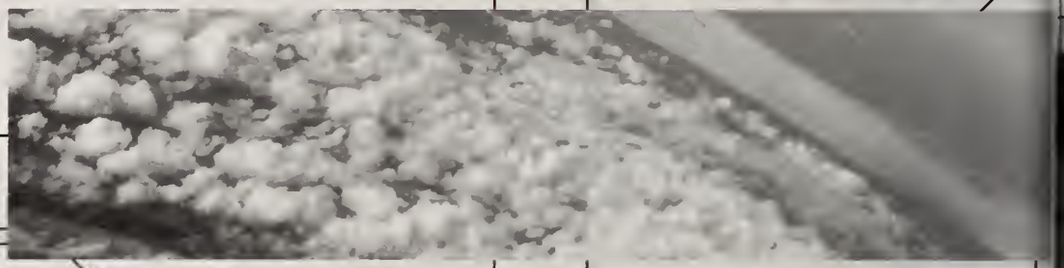

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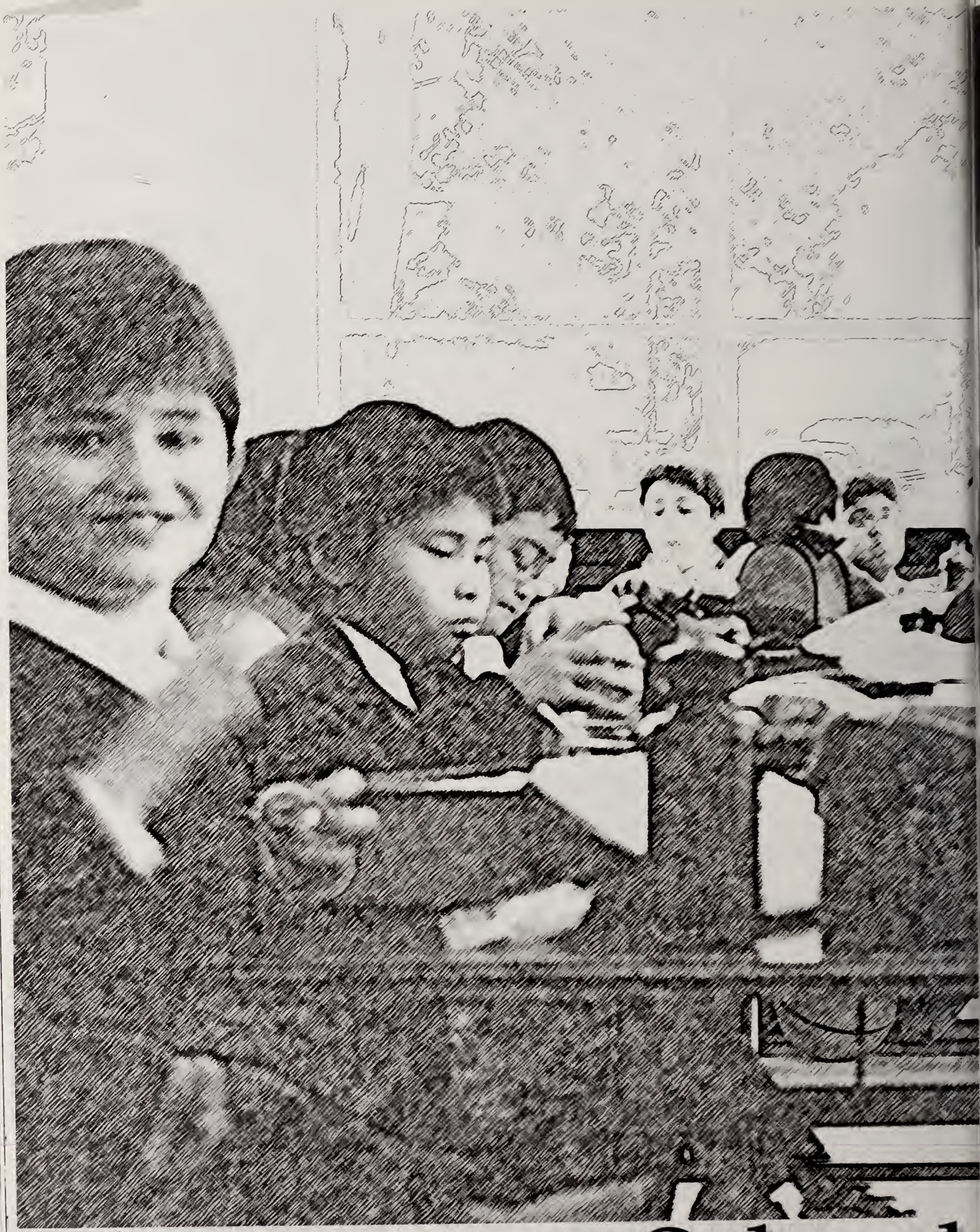

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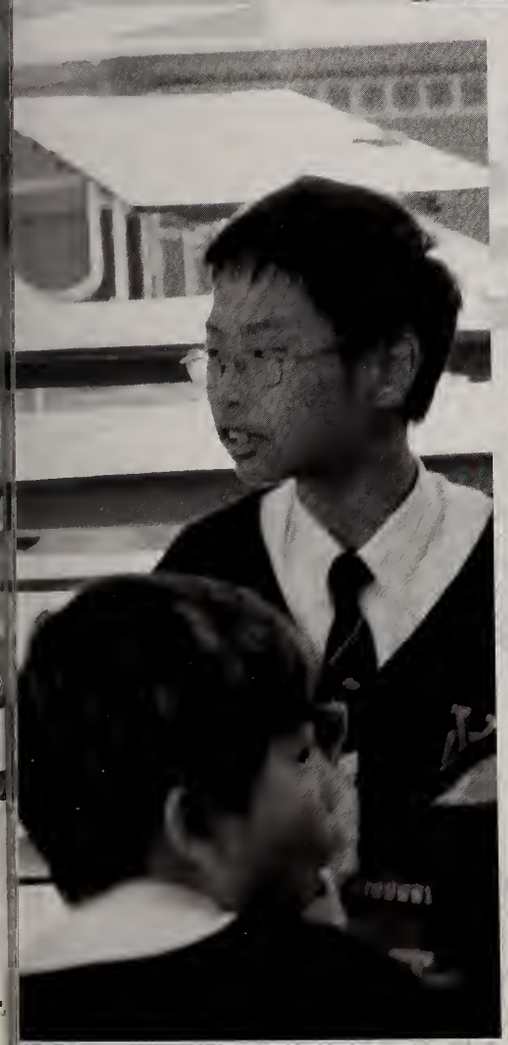

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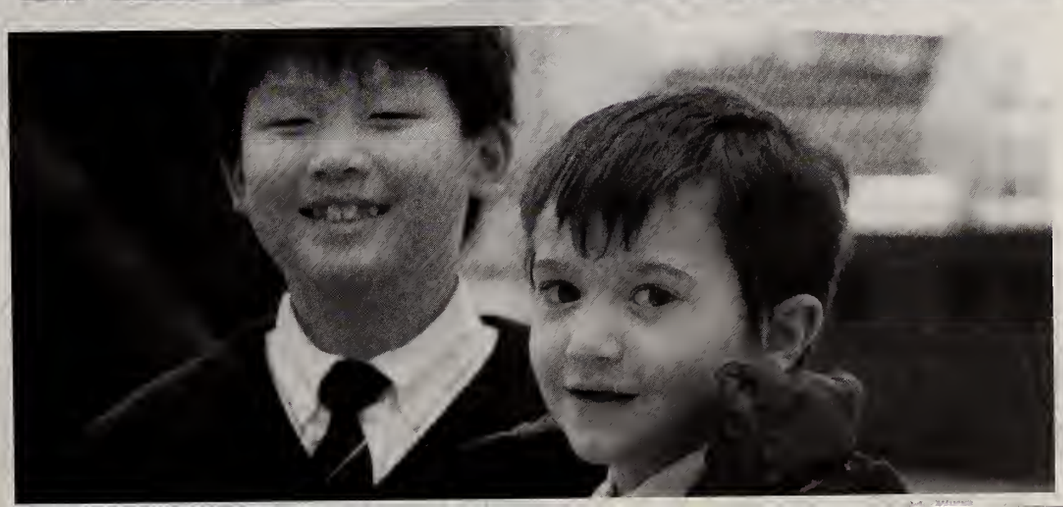
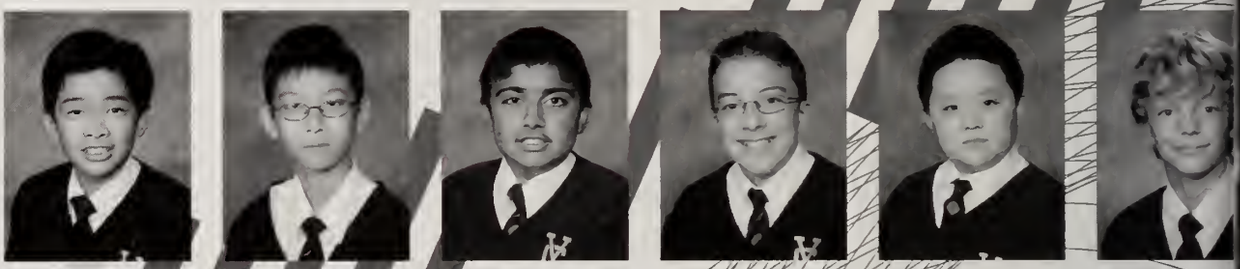


Grade 6

Grade Six has presented us with new challenges to overcome. After seven years at Vancouver College, we have become the role models to the elementary students. Next year, we leave the elementary environment and join the new setting of middle school. While this may be a new transition, we will learn to adapt together. We will cherish our last moments in elementary, but although there may be a difficult road ahead of us, we will be entering a new chapter of adolescence. We will leave our childhood behind and hopefully grow into experienced adolescents, and ultimately, mature men. In the end, we do not know what new obstacles we will face and how difficult; however this does not matter. What matters is how we face it: together.



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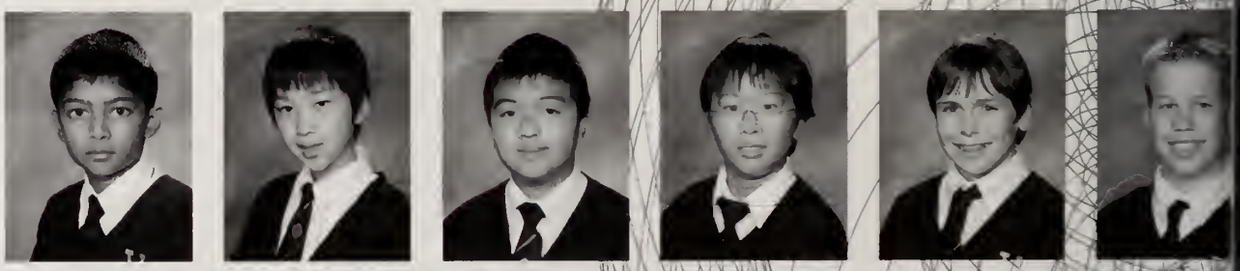

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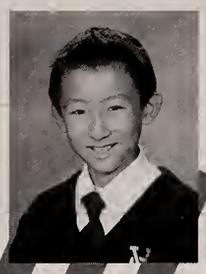

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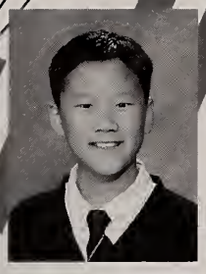
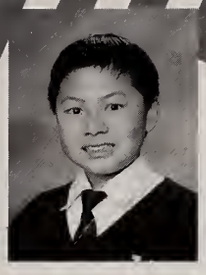

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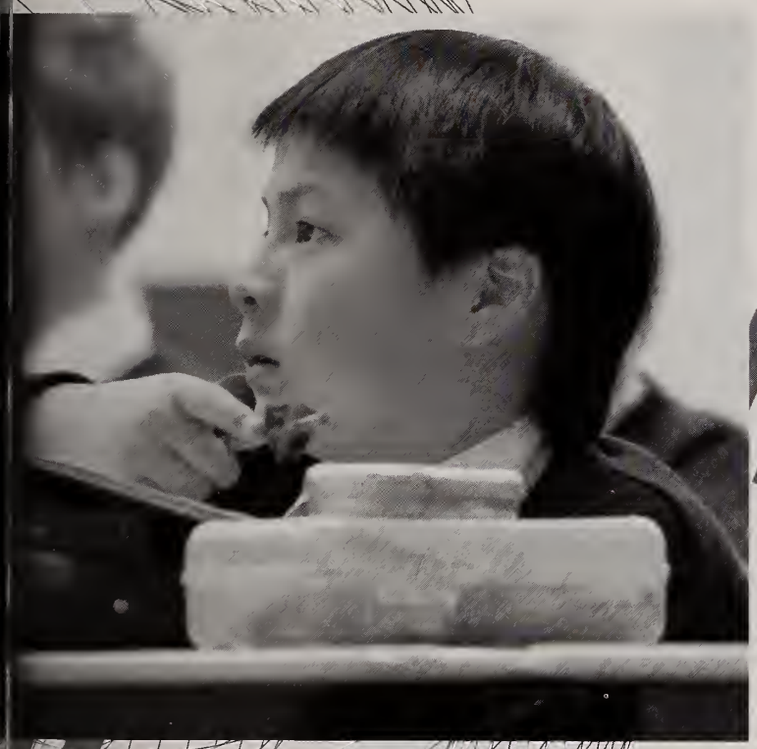

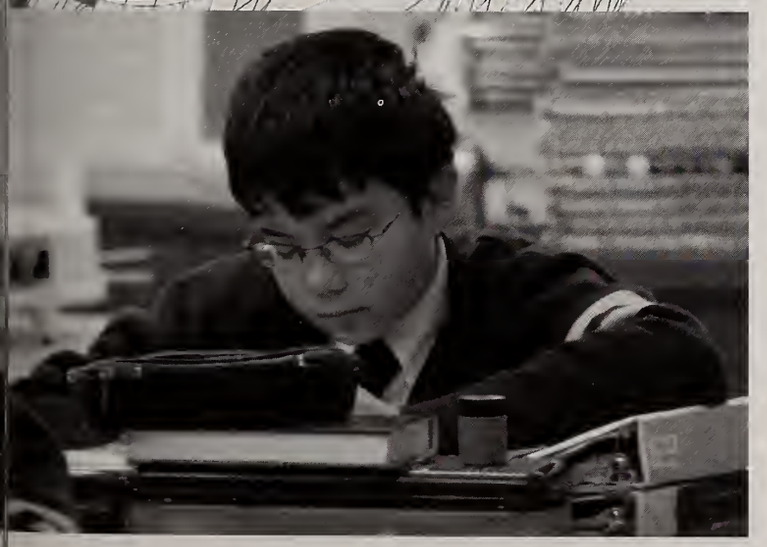

Grade 5

Every year at Vancouver College bring about a new set of challenges and Grade Five is no exception at all. It has been a unique and wonderful experience, and we have grown together both as individuals and as a community. With each passing year, we continue to learn more on the value of independence and interdependence. We are beginning to understand the importance of balance between play and study and between friends and family. It is both in our successes and mistakes that we continue the process of growth and self-discovery. We look forward with smiling faces towards the new year and never stop to wonder at the new discoveries we will make.

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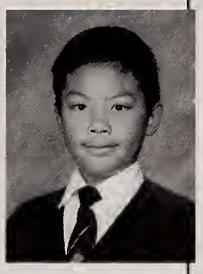

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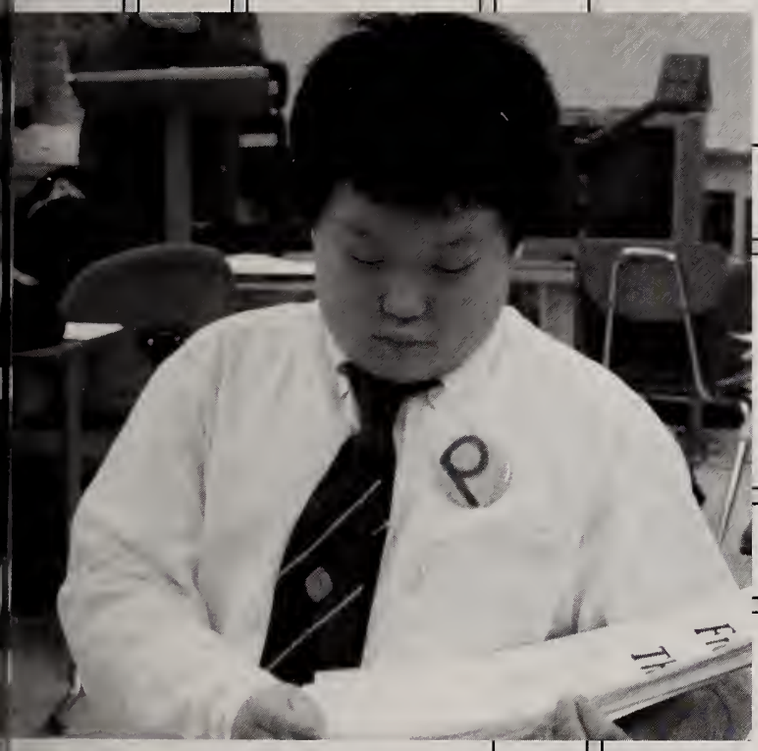
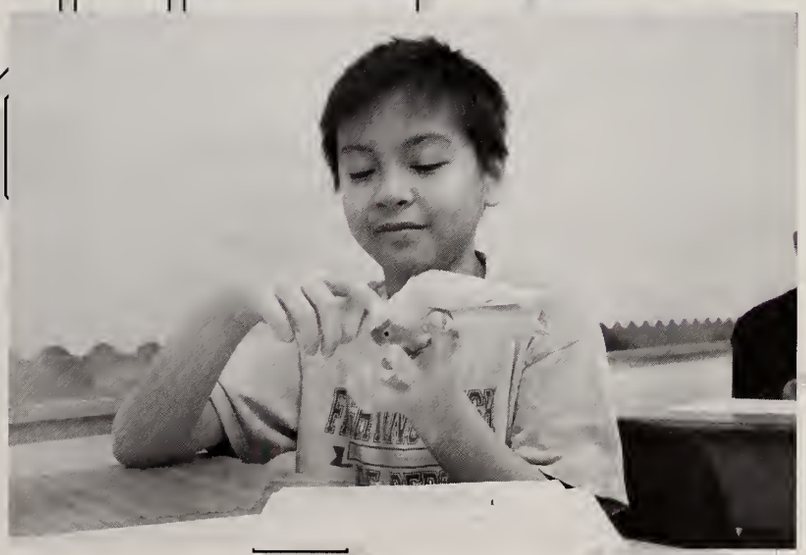
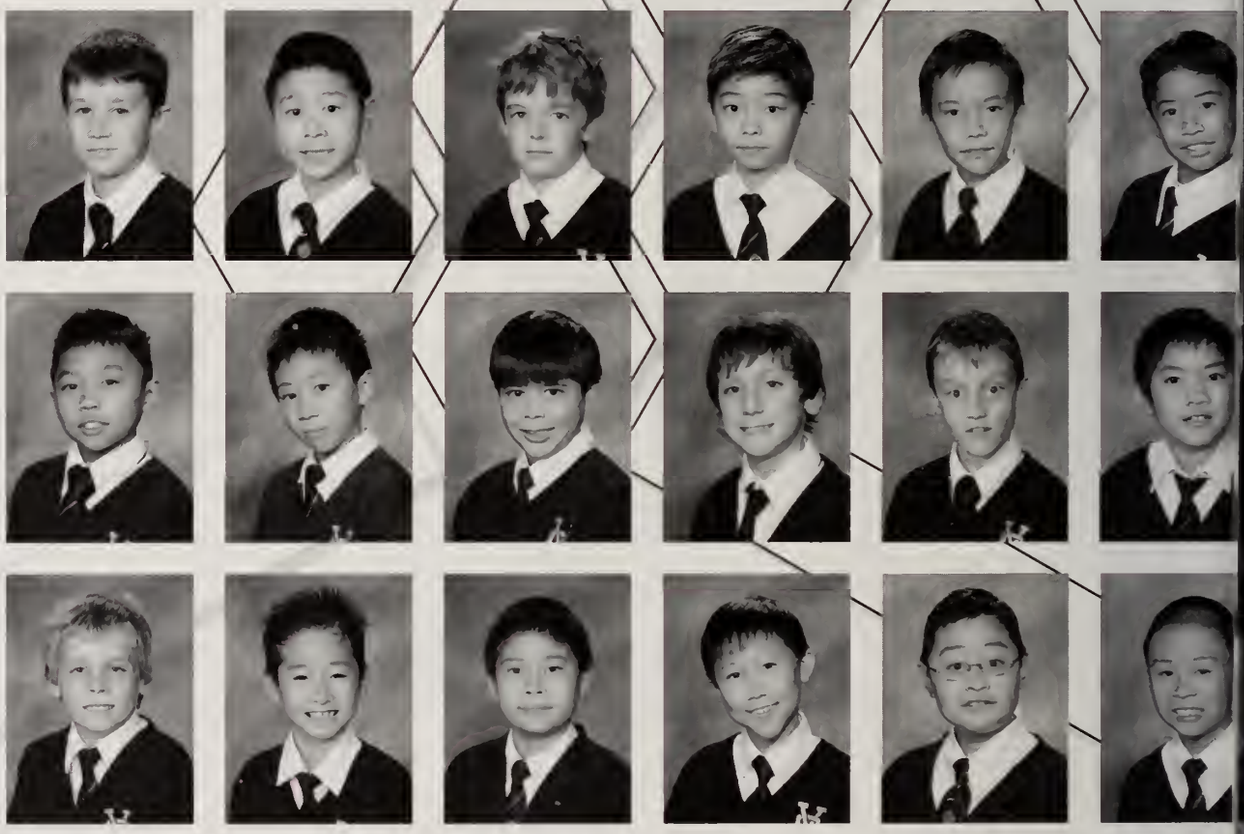




Grade 4

This is my first year at Vancouver College. I am enjoying it very much. Grade 4 has been very challenging as it is very different from my old school. The work is much more demanding and yet it does bring out the best in all of us. Our class teacher, Mr. Heah, makes learning fun and exciting. There is always a happy and creative atmosphere within the classroom which makes all of us strive for our best to succeed and achieve our goals.

- Alex Lee



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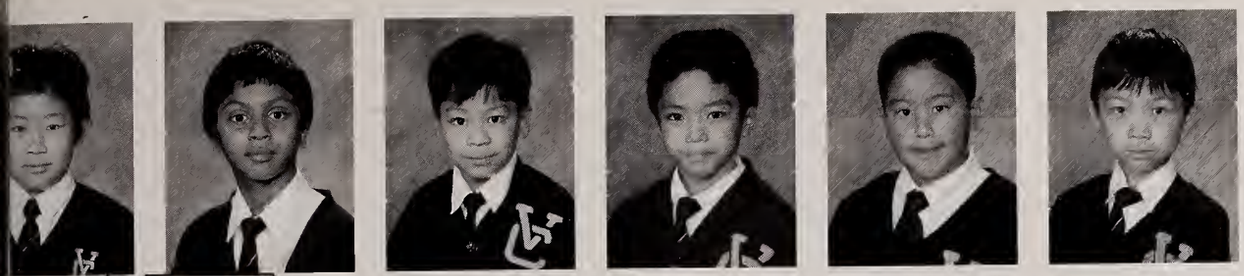

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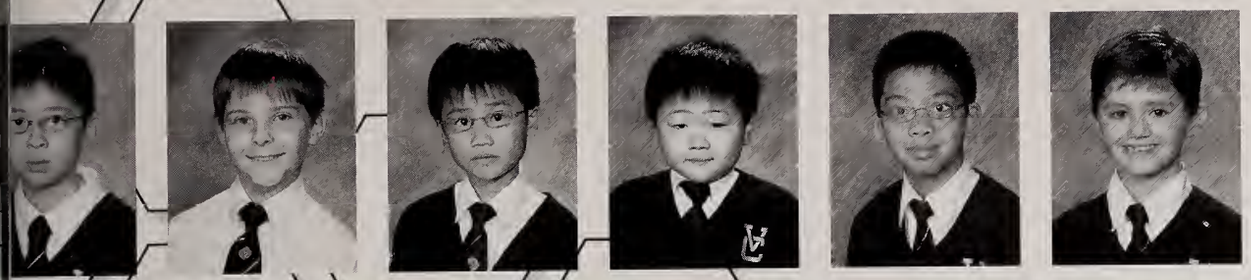

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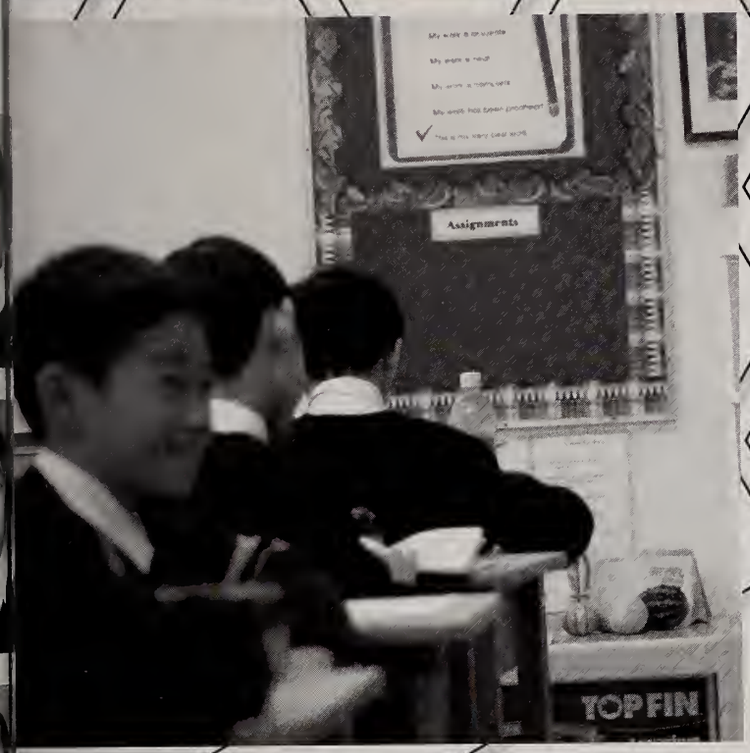

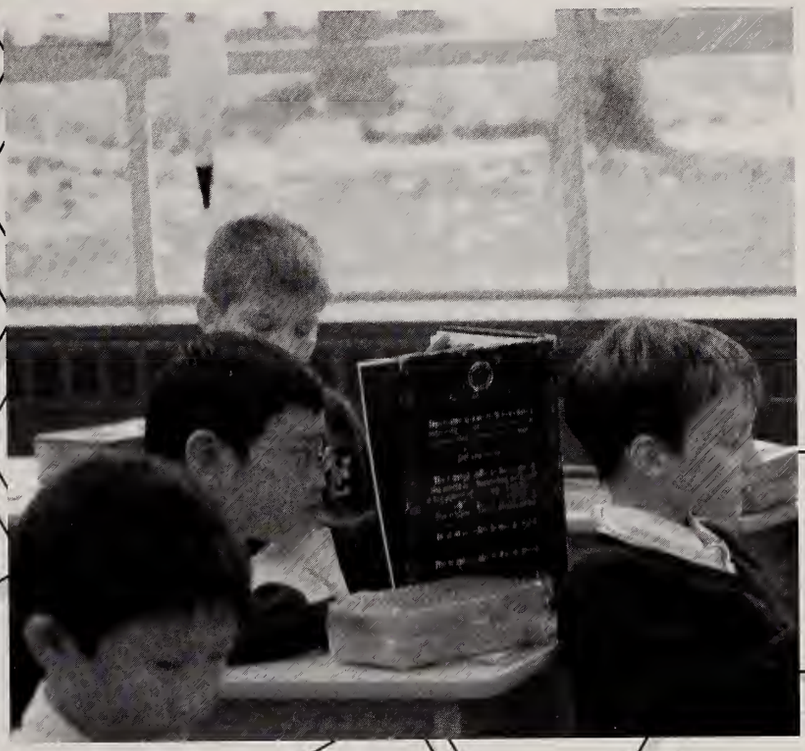

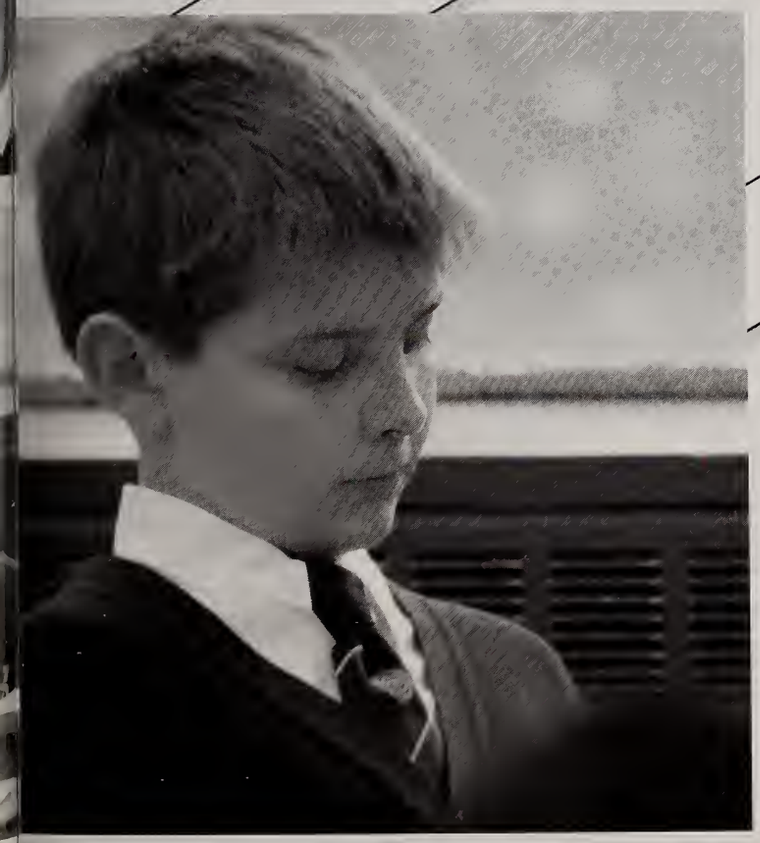

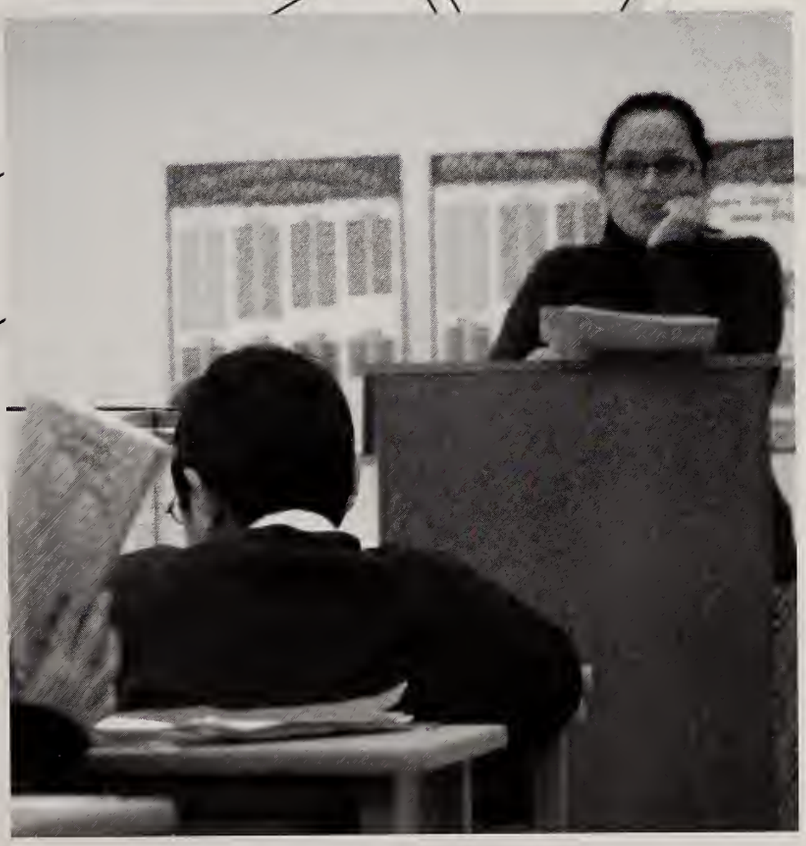

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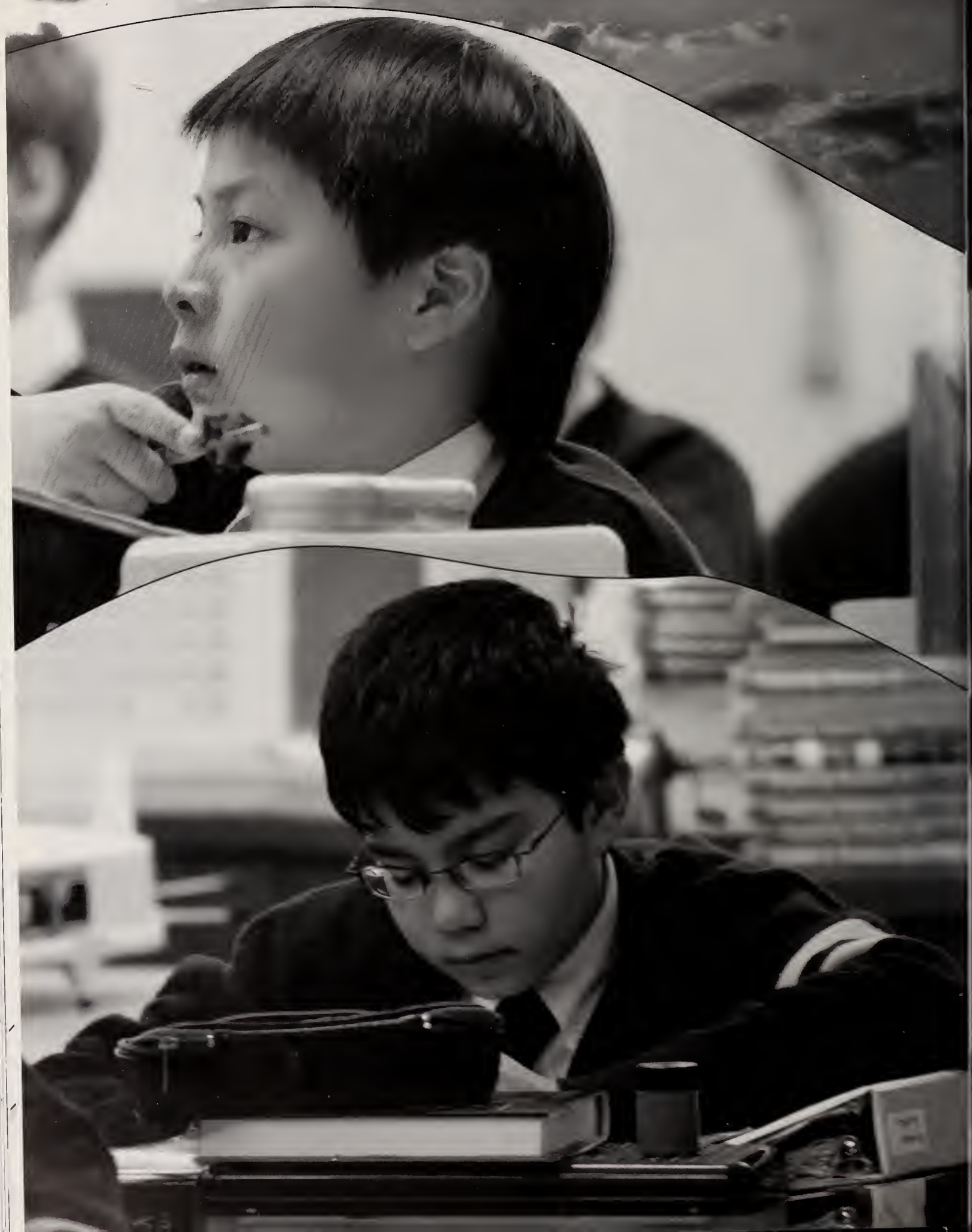
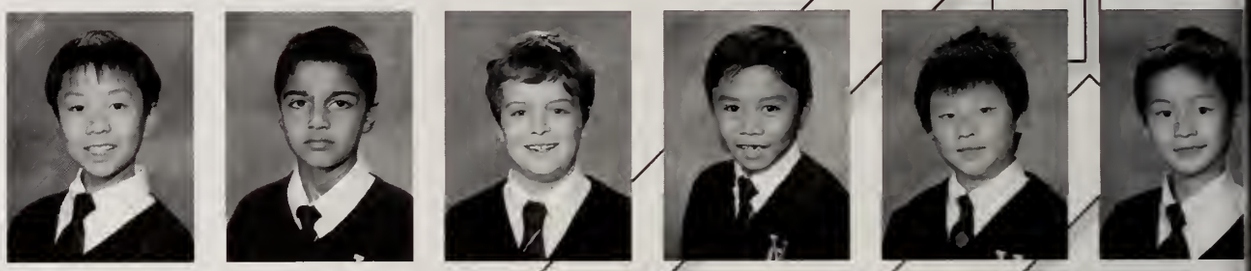


Grade 3

It is here in our fourth year at Vancouver College that we experience positive influences from our friends, family, community, and Christ. We are the leaders of the primary grades, and we must set a good example for the younger students. While our Grade Three year has ended, we have formed memories that will continue on as we enter the next grade. Our teachers have taught us the value of knowledge and camaraderie, as well as the teachings of Christ everyday. With this knowledge that we hope to retain, we will keep climbing the ladder. While we may stray and make mistakes sometimes, we learn from them and come back. Becoming better is our ultimate goal to reach.



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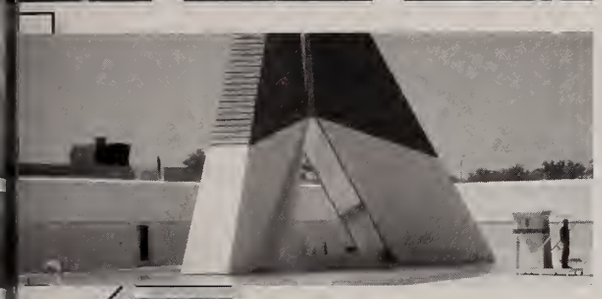

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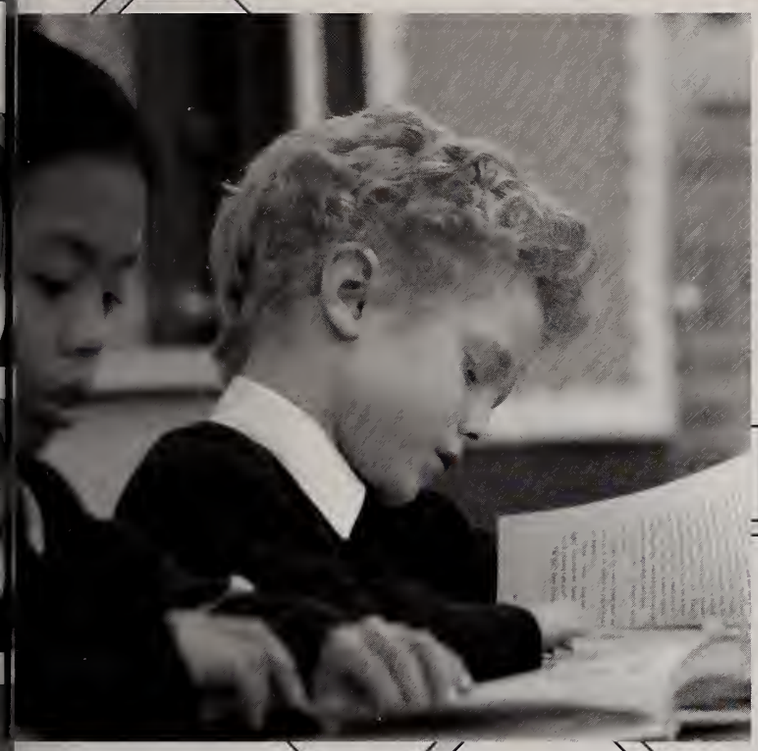

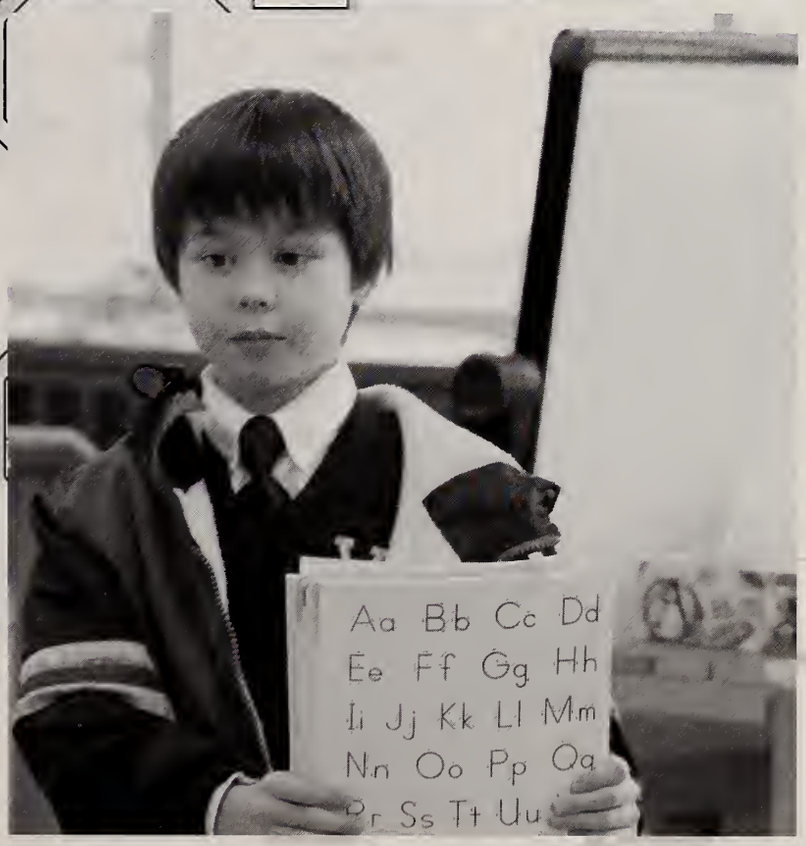

Grade 2

Now in our third year at Vancouver College, we progress along, following a path that will lead us to our dreams. Everyday, we learn, laugh, live, and love. We are beginning to discover and develop our strengths and interests, and support is given by classmates, our friends, our brothers. Whether playing or learning, we learn to be a good friend, student, athlete, brother, and Christian. With the guidance and graces of God, we can trust that we are headed in the correct direction. Our hard work at school makes each day memorable, and, as we move to next year, we hope to work harder and live life to the best that we can. By the end of it all, we hope to get a new sense of maturity and, ultimately, achieve our goals.

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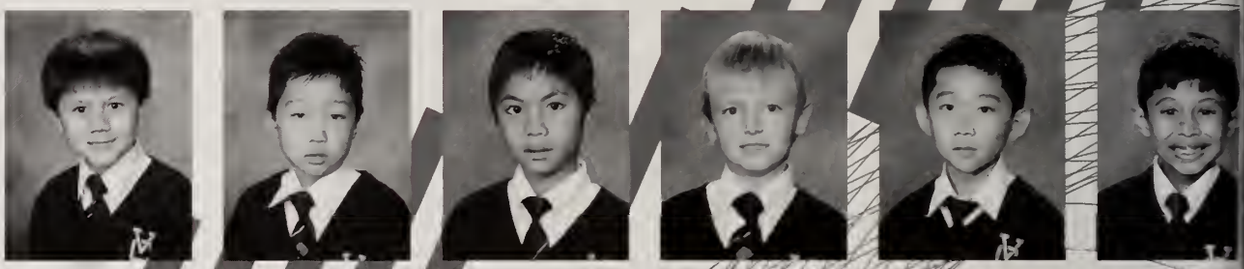

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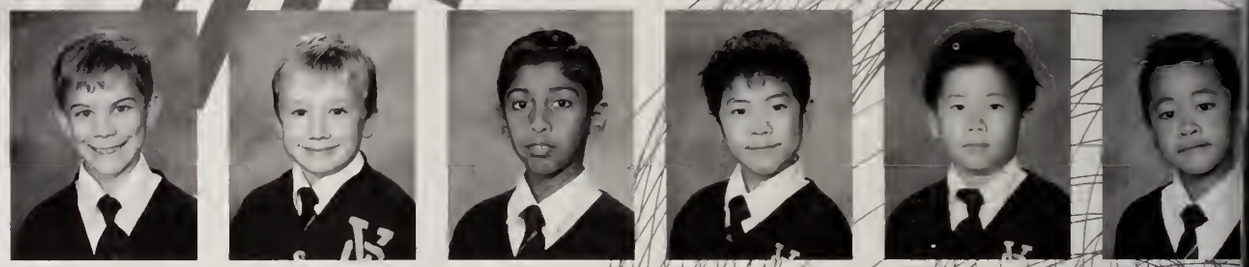

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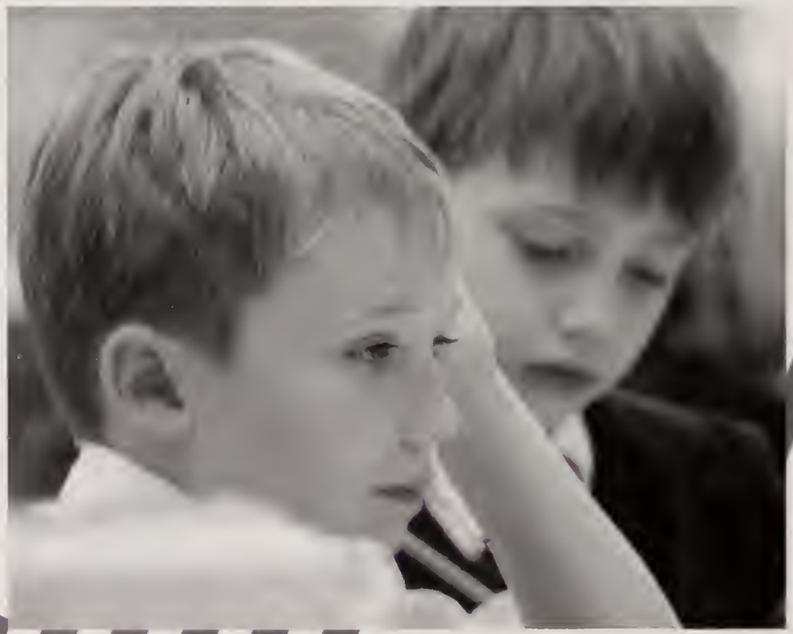

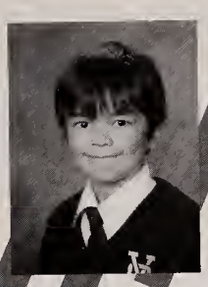

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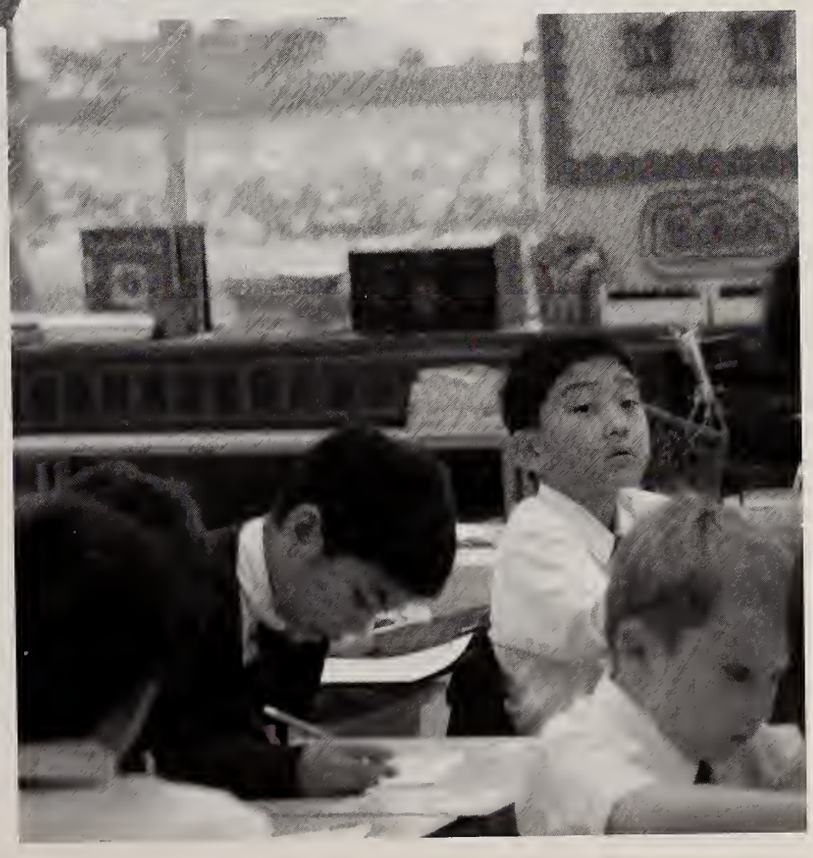
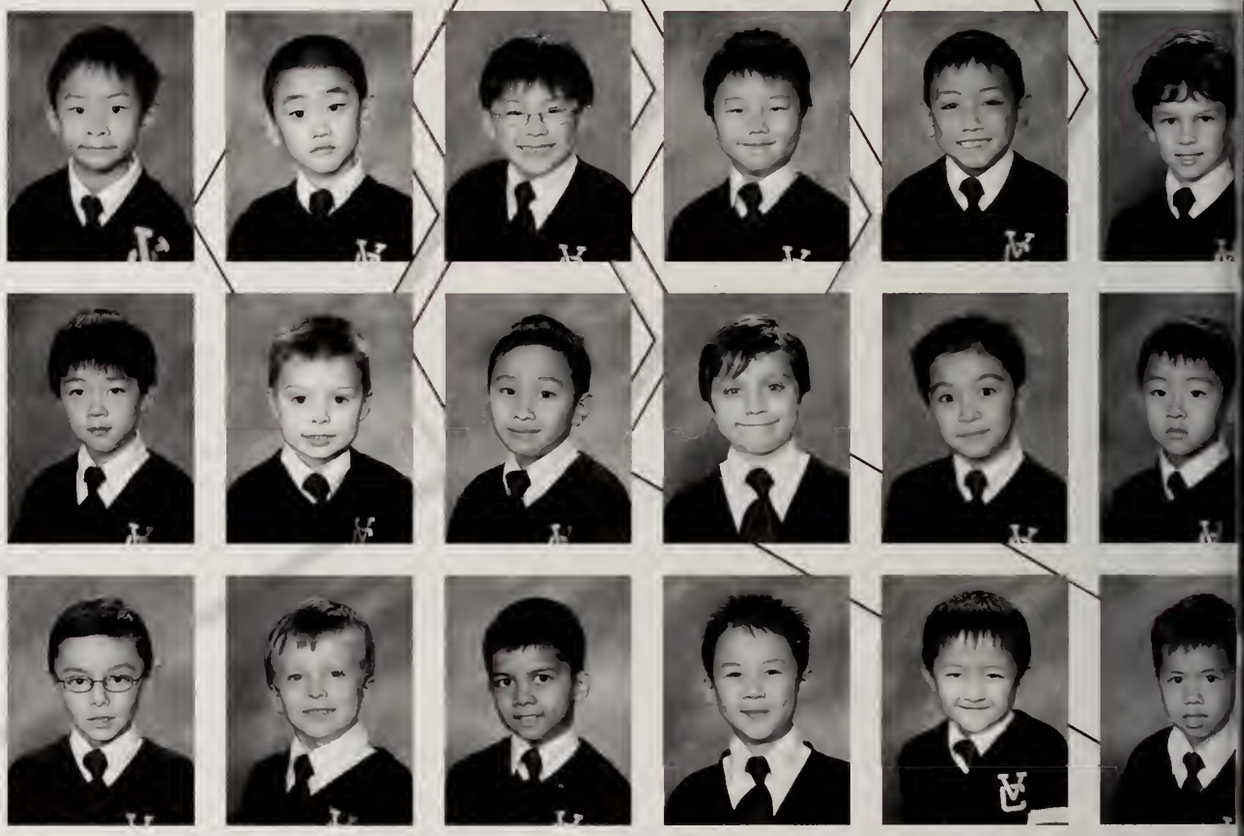


Grade 1

This is a year of transition in the grade one classroom. This is my second year at VC but it is my first year teaching grade one at Vancouver College. I am following Ms. Marcott who taught grade one for nine years and before her it was Mrs. Seppelt. I feel very privileged to be following such amazing teachers. The grade one classroom used to be the main entrance to the school. It is a wonderful room full of history. I am confident this group of boys will be successful in all of their academic endeavours and will carry on the rich traditions of our school.

-Mrs. Wolfman



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Anson Kung
Aidan Lee
Ryan Leong

Lincoln Leung
Owen Lin
Evan Mak
Timothy Nguyen
Tyler Silva
Ethan Tsui

Ben Wickett
Cameron Wright
Darron Yau
Stephen Zelis

Kindergarten

Stepping into a new world, we begin a new life at Vancouver College. Each day, we learn new things about the world around us. We work together, and along the way, we make new friends that will continue through our school years. Although we are the young ones of the school, we are now faced with new activities and challenges, which will become harder as the years progress. Along the way, we will learn our strengths and weaknesses, and share new experiences with the rest of our class. We will enjoy working and playing, achieving dreams and scoring goals. The world waits before us, and Vancouver College will make our future promising.

Karl Abian
Seraphim Bakas
Gianluca Ciampi
Sean Cuevas
Marco De Angelis
Quinn Eviston

Justin Fong
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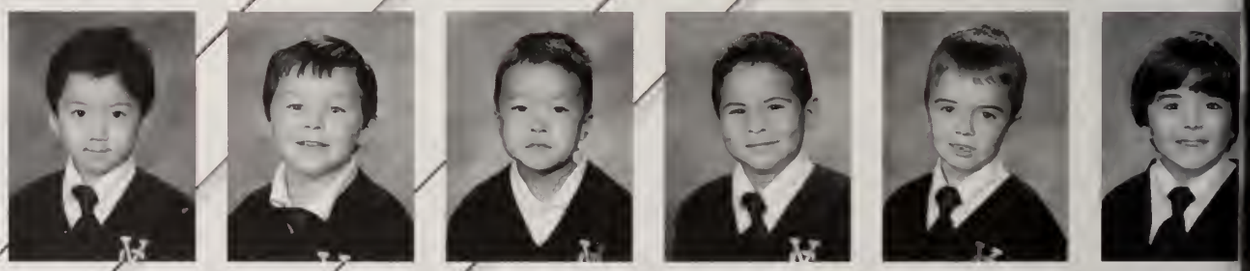

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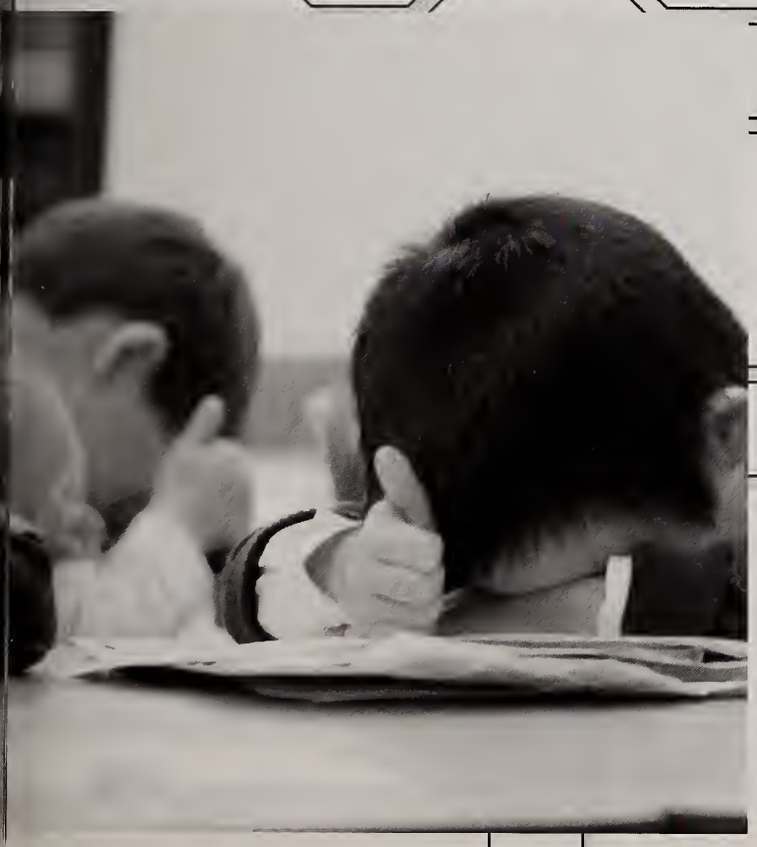

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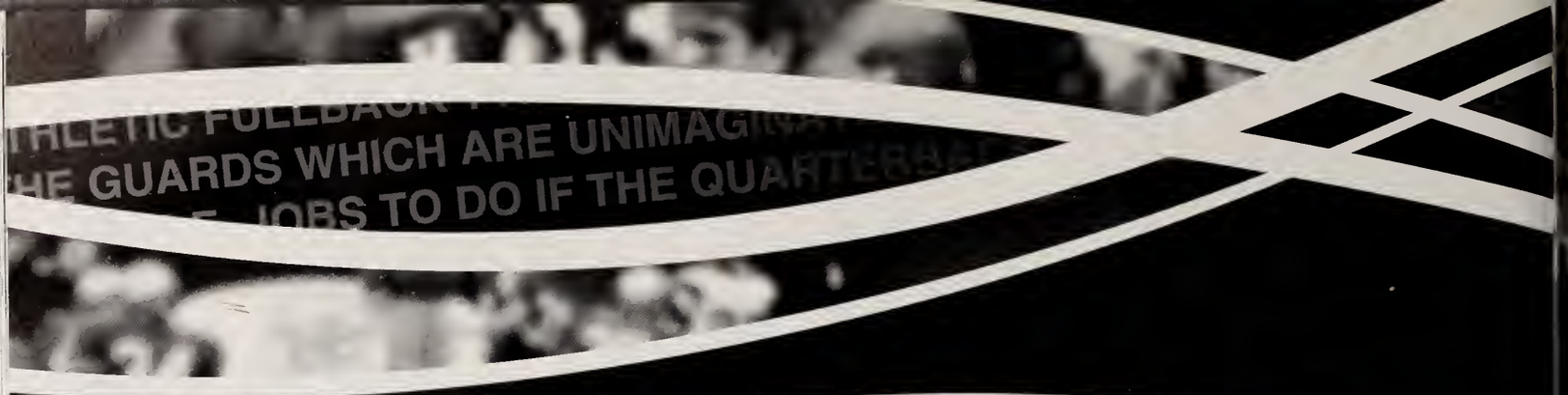
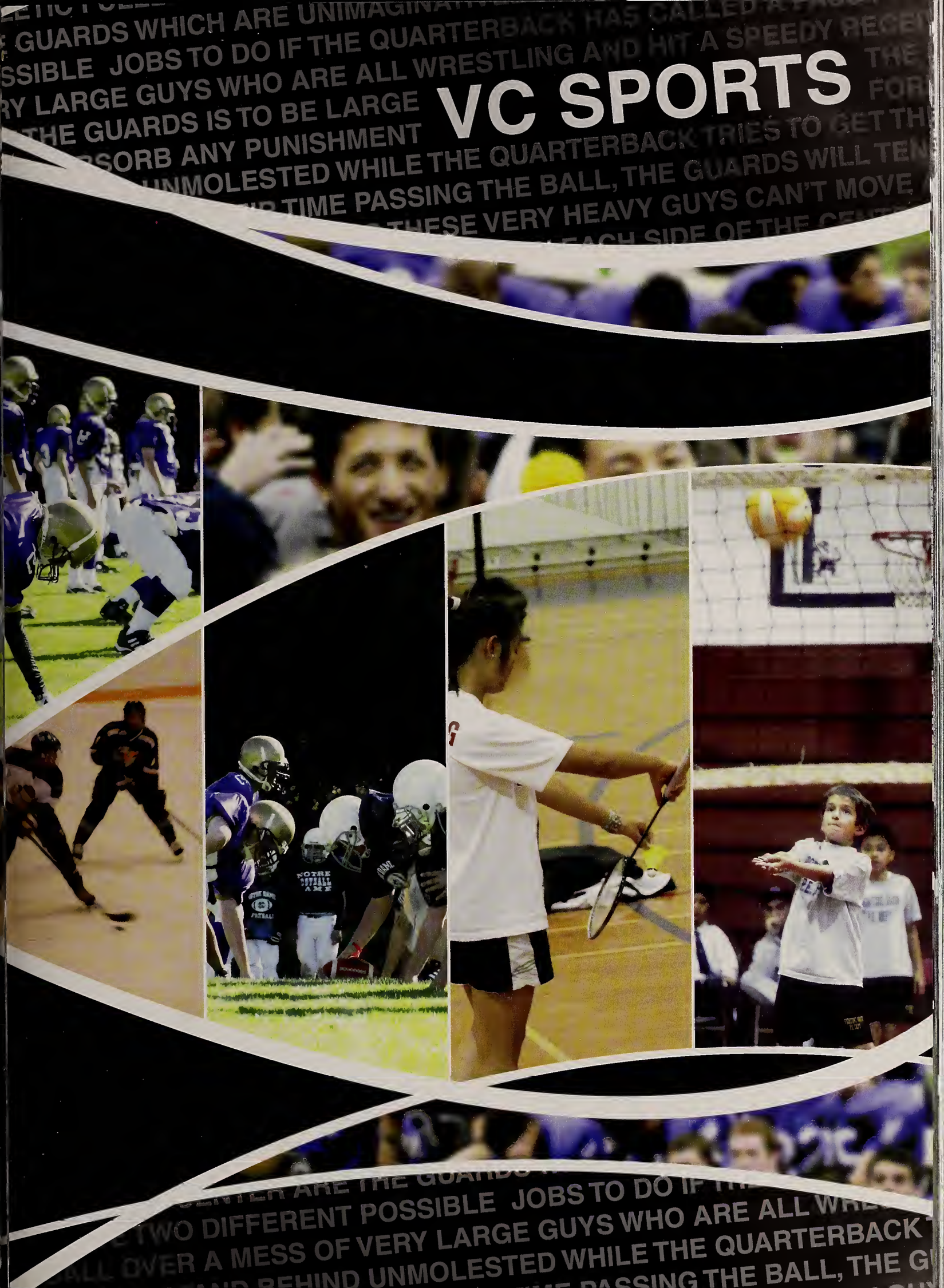


We play with passion. We play with heart. We play like there is no tomorrow.

The athletic tradition of Vancouver College is steeped in years of excellence, of shattered records, of realized dreams, and of personal bests. Under the most competitive circumstances, athletics brings out the best of each individual. Tenacity. Perseverance. Dedication.

Inheriting the rich athletic history of the College is an honour, and the moment the purple and gold is donned symbolizes a transition into a new stage in one's life: commitment. The long meets, the hot summer sun, the early morning practices are nothing compared to the personal satisfaction gained by all those who have tasted glory. And in the end, win or lose, we remain. Unified as a team, individually motivated, and ultimately proud to be part of the Fighting Irish.

VC SPORTS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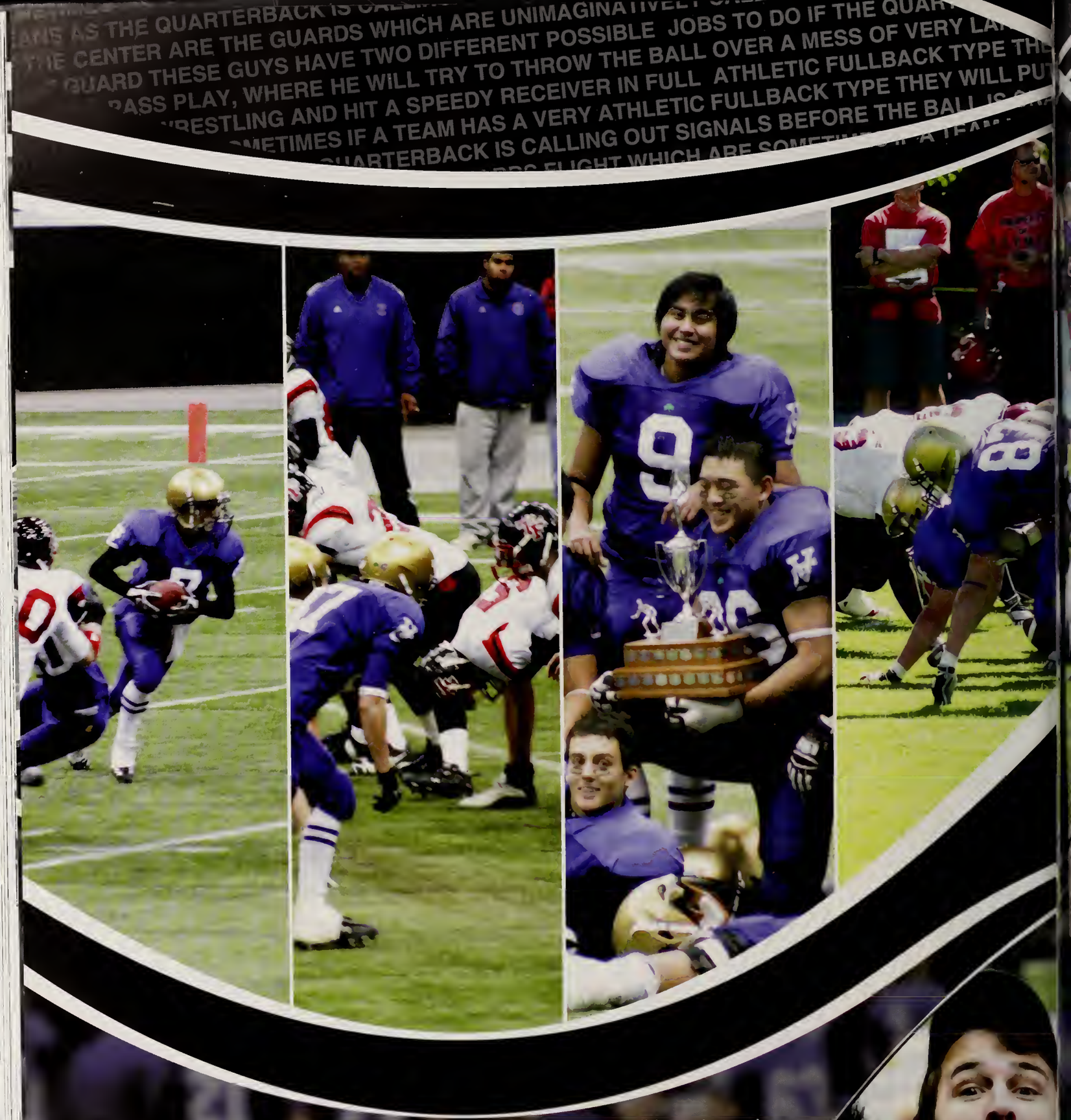

This year's edition of the Varsity Football team continued the tradition of excellence that the College is renowned for. Led by the passion and dedication of Coach Todd Bernett, the Irish were feared across the province for their explosive offence and tenacious defence. Inspired by the play of several provincial all-stars, the Irish grew as a cohesive unit, combining talent with experience to become a formidable force.

It was a commendable season for the graduating seniors, who played their hearts out and won every single home game, with particularly sweet victories over STM and Notre Dame in the Archbishop's Cup. The hard work the men put in during off-season training culminated in their Provincial Championship match against Terry Fox. With a solid group of experienced players returning, the strong College football tradition will carry on for many seasons to come.

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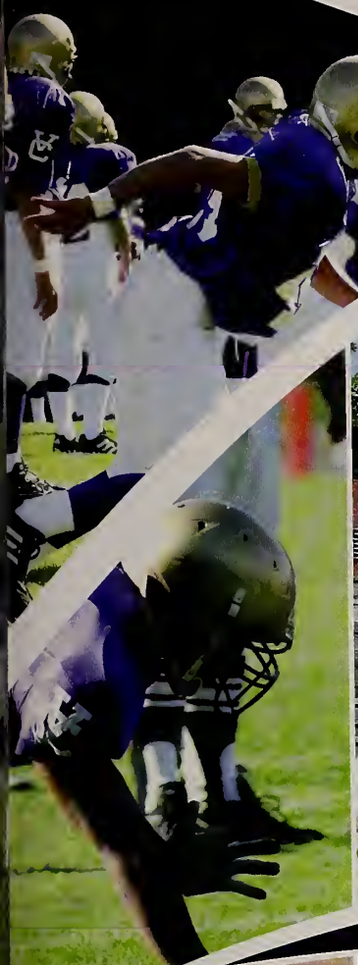


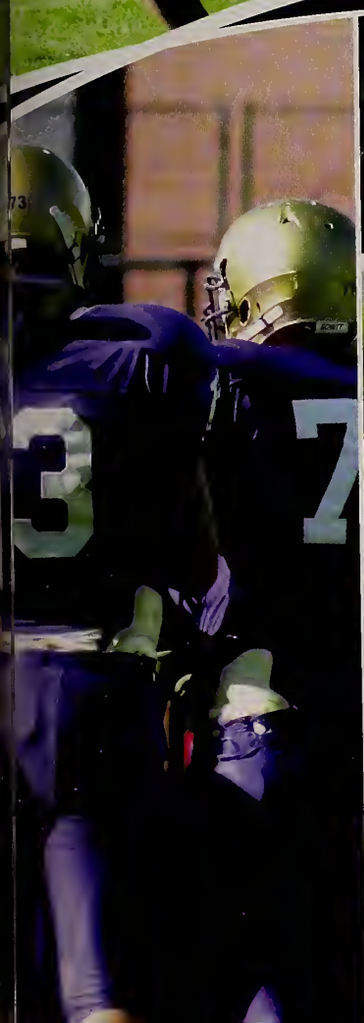
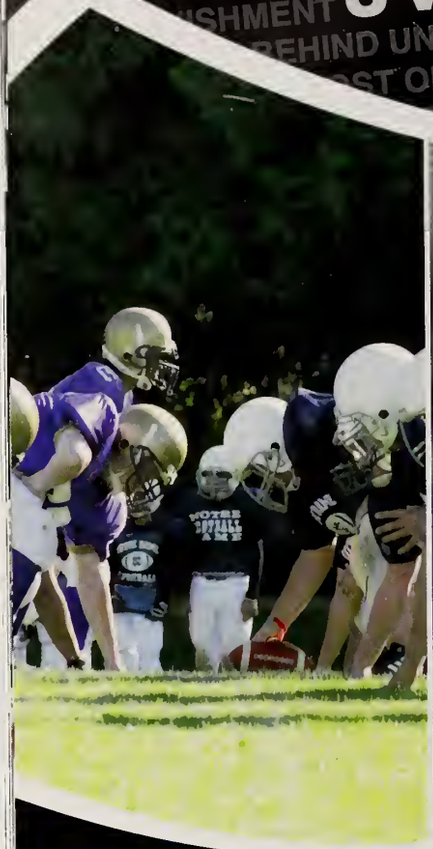


Photo above, Left to right
Row 1: Todd Bernett (Head Coach), Connor Roney, Austin Cooper-Lorne, David Le, Michael Patko, Michal Martinka, Sam Quitzon, Jamal Allen, Adam Cordick.
Row 2: Brody McKnight, Jon Chiang, Phil Chebaya, Alexander Paterson, Scott Matheson, Chris Chan, Peter Planta, Charlie Canaan, Andrew Banting.
Row 3: David Kalinowski, Trey Henderson, Daniel Cordick, Alex Hernandez, Sean Terrel Gavri Grossman, Andrew Wong, Miguel Narciso, Curtis Lau, Tim Lee.
Row 4: Robbie Cruickshank (Manager), Clement Kour, Sean Cotterall, Andrew Lee, Abhay Sokhi, Eric Uy , Tobi Sroka, Justin Chang, Daniel Gabrilo, Christian Covington (Manager)
Row 5: Rob Kozikowski (Coach), Burton Haig, Trevor Dueckman, Braeden Ralla, Ryan Shams, Holden Whitehead, Zander Robinson, Jon Lee, James Sally.
Row 6: Rick Gazzola (Trainer), Ryan Williams (Coach), Brian Taggart (Coach), Grover Covington (Coach), Doug Pauls (Coach), Paul Martinka (Coach).

JV FOOTBALL



The Junior Varsity Fighting Irish had another exceptional season, remaining undefeated in both exhibition and league play with a 9-0 record, outscoring the opposition by almost 150 points. This is especially noteworthy since there were an unusually high number of Grade Nine starters on both offense and defense, including the winner of the Outstanding Back award, Garret Sanvido, who rushed for 980 yards. With so many excellent players returning, the JV's are determined to continue winning next season.

Photo right, Left to right
Bottom middle: Justin Sanvido
1st Row: Brett Miller, Jeremy Sroka, Kelvin Ip, Matthew Yee, Kyle Cobarrubias, Alex Nichini, Don Infante, Ellan Ponjani, Darren Moraga, Jordan Kan, Ryan Wong, Brendan Lau, Curtis Cole-Izen
2nd Row: Ian Smith, Calvin Bondoc, William Esaw, Tom Dodge, Jay BEnedict Castro, Jiggy Elorine, Julian Dean, Jason Lee, Nawoong Yoon, Geno Lalna, Mikey Terrel, Brandon Rooney
3rd Row: Jonathan Chan, Daniel Martin, Ben White, Gary Sanghera, Ryan Uy, Francesco Renzullo, Mathew Pauls, Kevin Patterson, Lucas Cordick, Christian Jones, Wigs Clark, Brett Robillard, Sagar Mahli
4th Row: Paul Shives, Greg Chua, Troy Matheson, Giovanni Boscariol, Chris Armstrong, Michael Cooper, Tommy Scrubb, James Lee, Cody Rossi, Zachary Toigo, Phil Scrubb, Garret Sanvido
5th Row: Matthias Goossen, Sagar Bachra, Alex Dumont, Jonathan Tsang, Samuel Williams, Billy Park, Mike Nguyen, Garret Ling-Lee, Chris Adams, Pat Bull, Endor Campbell.
6th Row: Harrison Sali, Mr. Campbell, Coach Doug Choo, Coach Rennie, Coach Choo, Coach Burke

GR. 8 FOOTBALL

The next generation of gridiron stars arrived on campus late in August to begin their introduction to the team sport. As the season progressed, the group of individuals who gathered at practice gradually transformed into a tightly-knit group of friends.

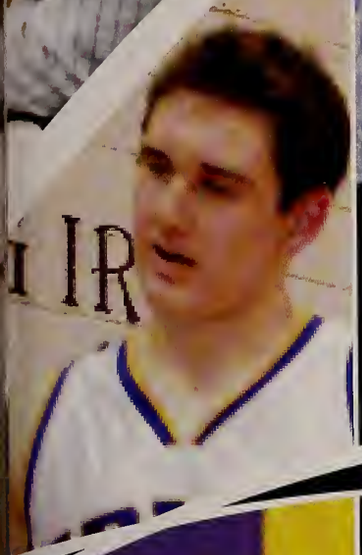
The growth and development of the team was evident in the way they learned from their mistakes. Despite falling to a strong Stafford team early in the season, they redeemed themselves with a decisive win over the same opponent in the play-off semi-finals.

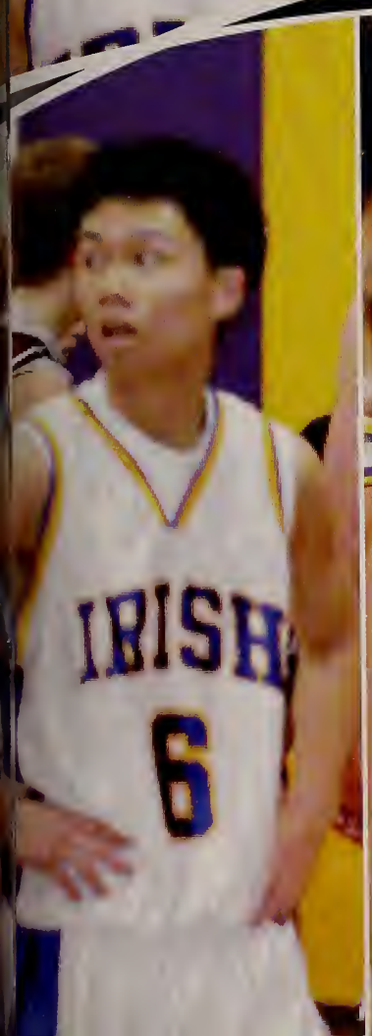
By reaching the Provincial Championships, the team continued what has now been six straight finals appearances at the Grade 8 level, dating back to 2000. Coupled with the outstanding 9-2 record compiled by this team, the tradition of excellence continues.

Roster
Konrad Chrzastowski (1), Gareth Lindstrom (2), Jeff Tichel (3), Duncan Onukwulu (4), Kyle Patko (5), Michael Panes (6), Charlie Thorpe (7), Adam Konar (8), Michael Faliszewski (9), Sean Mayzes (10), Ganason Ponjani (11), Gabriel Racela (12), Harian Dohm (13), Rafael Ramirez (14), Marc Cammarasana (16), Brenton Wong (17), Jared Anderson (18), Reilly Hemer (19), Angelo Rubini (20), Robbie Battte (21), Tony Kang (22), Michael Wade (23), Ian Matheson (24), Liam Moran (25), Graham Fonseca (27), Daniel Loconte (28), James Laing (30), Ryan Kucera (31), Lendl Magispoc (32), Michael Frass (33), Jordan Jacobs (34), Thomas Hart (35), Stephano Renzullo (40), Sam Clare (42), Anthony Pezarro (44), Daniel Kalinowski (45), Costa Mellios (47), Tony Kwon (50), Uday Sokhi (51), Matthew Durana (52), Alvin Lau (53), Dominic Lao (54), Keenan Tham (56), Michel Fabre (60), Joseph Elyas (61), Nick Blanchette (62), Justin Challissery (63), Andrew Schweiz (65), Andrew MacInnes (66), James Vaughn (67), Connor McSweeney (70), Daniel Do (71), Patrick Catterall (72), Guy Taylor (74), Von Jarin (75), Christian Covington (77), Jonathon Cubbage (78), Tom Leung (79), Anthony Cervantes (80), Raymond Gutierrez (80), Anthony Sakic (84), Chris Jang (86), Tyler Sangha (87), Cory Wong (88)

The 2006-07 Varsity Basketball Team lived up to the high expectations. After dedicating their summer to a rigorous training program, the Irish stormed out of the gates, dominating their competition at the prestigious HSBC tournament. In their first entry to the competition, the Irish defeated the #1 ranked Handsworth team in the finals. As the season progressed, the Irish continued to win in convincing fashion, including a series sweep over Independent League archrival, St. George's. The development of team chemistry was crucial in helping the Irish overcome injuries to five key players throughout the season, en route to their Provincial Championship semi-final appearance. Coming within five points of the eventual champions, the Irish showed class and character. The next night, they handidly dispatched WRCA by over twenty points for a third place provincial finish, making a statement that next year, the Irish will indeed be back for more, and with a vengeance.

VARSITY BASKETBALL



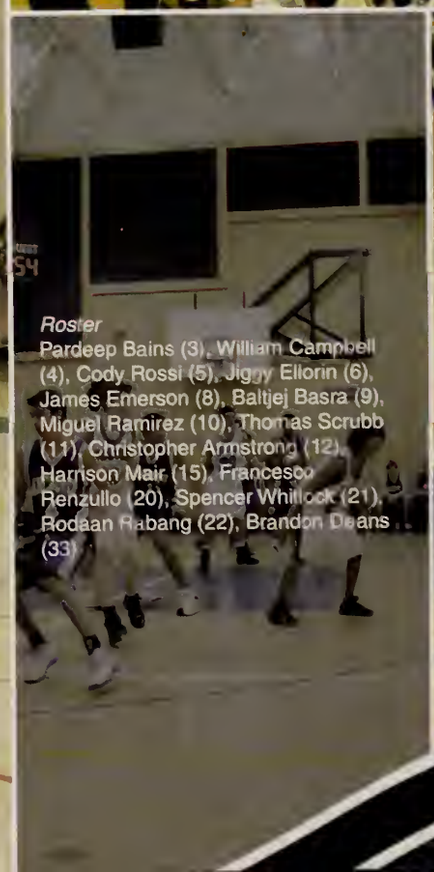


Grade 12
Campbell, Charlie
Cordonier, Joe
Konar, Matt
O'Brien, Seamus
Sroka, Tobi
Wong, Ethan
Yu, Nathan

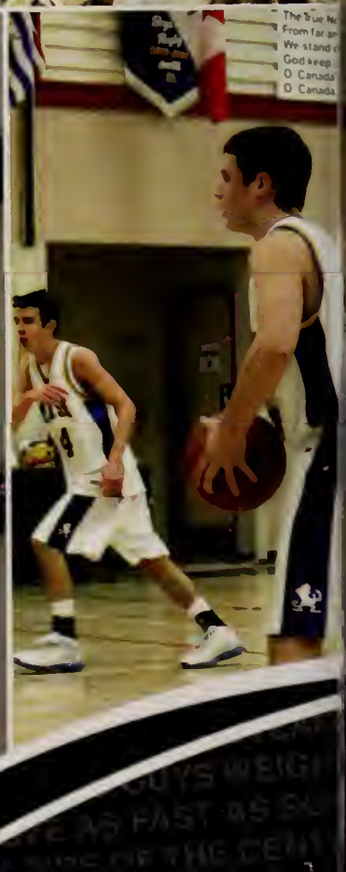
Grade 11
Gabrillo, Daniel
McTaggart, Matthew
Provido, Restie
Ralla, Braeden
Trasolini, Marc
Tyab, Farris

JV BASKETBALL

In what was a banner year for the Irish Junior Varsity team, the season exemplified the resilient nature of this championship calibre team. Overcoming many injuries at inopportune times, the JV's nonetheless executed their well-practiced game plans and ultimately succeeded in bringing the Provincial Championship trophy back to the College. Along the way, the team stormed through the regular season, dominating their opponents en route to convincing tournament wins at Fraser Heights, Belmont, Clayburn and the Emerald. Bringing an intense fighting spirit to the floor each night, the JV's continued the tradition of dedication for all who have donned the purple and gold. Still young in their development, the Junior Varsity team has set the foundation in place for perhaps another decade of Purple Reign.



Roster
Pardeep Bains (3), William Campbell (4), Cody Rossi (5), Jiggy Ellorin (6), James Emerson (8), Baltjej Basra (9), Miguel Ramirez (10), Thomas Scrubb (11), Christopher Armstrong (12), Harrison Mair (15), Francesco Renzullo (20), Spencer Whitlock (21), Rodaan Rabang (22), Brandon Deans (33)



GR. 5-9 BASKETBALL

The winning tradition of Irish Basketball begins at a young age. Beginning their season with tournament wins at St. Patrick, IC Delta, and the Emerald, the Grade 5 team's victory over St. Catherine's pronounced them CISVA Champions. Likewise, the countless hours spent practicing the fundamentals of the game translated into sweet success for the Grade 6 team, who enjoyed tournament victories in IC Delta and OLPH, as well as second place finishes at St. George's and the Emerald and eventually defeating OLGC for the championship. Building upon their experience, the Grade 7 team of Mr. Choo compiled a 15-6 record on their way to capturing first place at the Emerald, OLPH, Holy Trinity, and St. George's tournaments. Ultimately, their dedication culminated in their victory over Our Lady of Sorrows for the CISVA title. At the provincial level, the combined Grade 8 team defeated the highly-favoured RC Palmer to win the championships, and the Grade 9 team, winners of the Delta tournament, overcame the efforts of several tough opponents to finish third. With these outstanding results, we welcome all to the reign of yet another Irish basketball dynasty.

Under the guidance of Coach Penn, Anderson, and O'Loughlin, the track and field team had another successful season. Regardless of the venue – whether it was the familiar asphalt of O'Hagan field to the majestic track of Swangard Stadium – the Irish team performed with heart and dedication. From the elementary track team in their command of running events at the CISVA finals, to the senior field team in their domination over their opponents in the throwing events, this season was one to be remembered. Like all previous years of the Irish track and field team, this year's edition continued the College's tradition of excellence, dedication, and perseverance. Building on their second place men's finish at the Provincial Championships last year, and given the return of many of the key performers next year, the Irish are a force to be reckoned with.

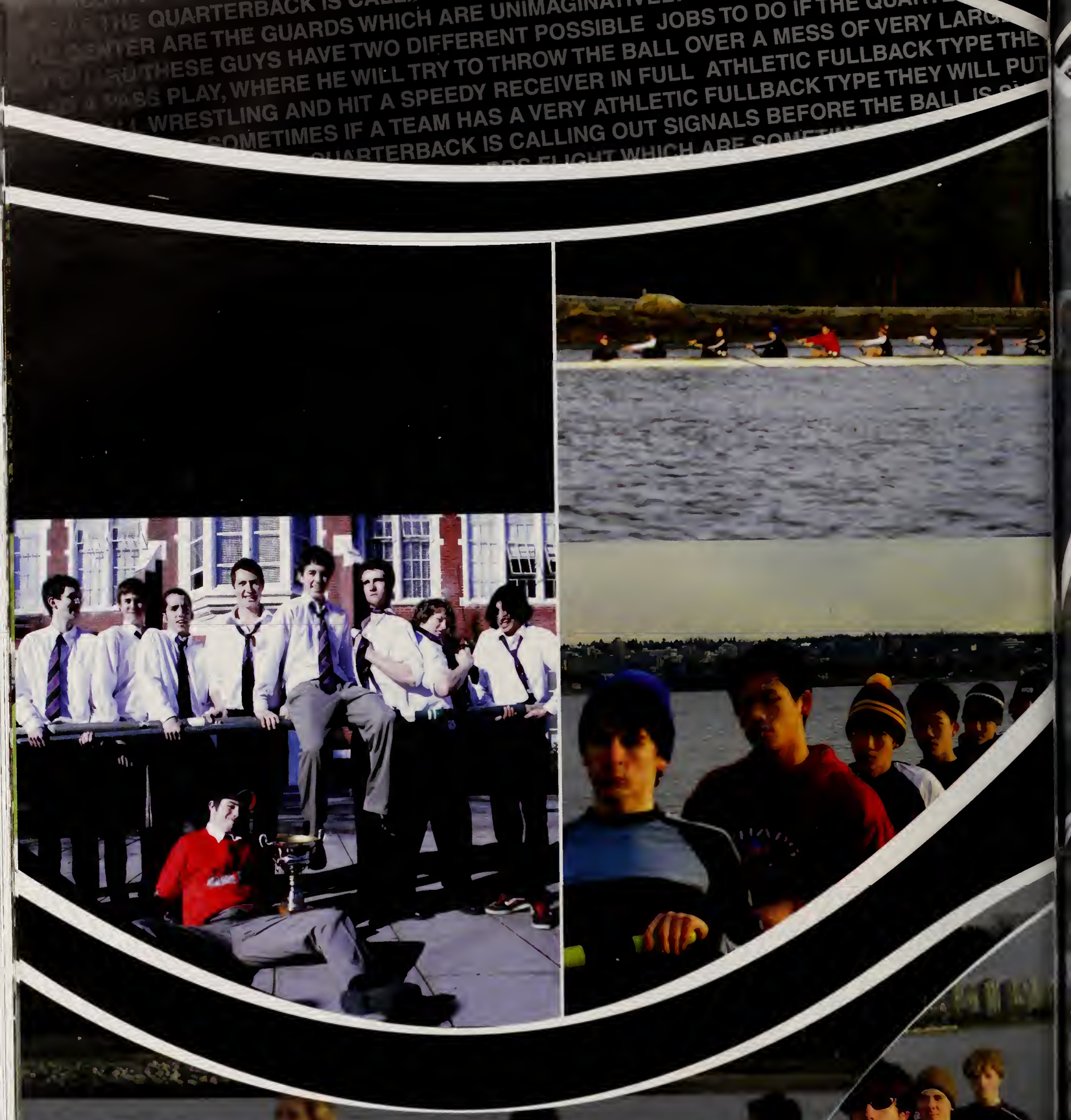
TRACK AND FIELD

Roster
Varsity
Jeffrey Abaquin, Jamel Allen, Charles Campbell, Justin Cervantes, Justin Chang, Ryan Cheng, Kevin Cleary, Daniel Cordick, Brian Dewangga, Trevor Dueckman, Burton Haig, Trey Henderson, Jeffrey Hon, Matthew Konar, Bosco Kwok, Kyle Lim, Andrew Mazzone, Tam McTavish, Matthew Melville, Alexander Munro, Joshua Nacar, Fred Park, Peter Planta, Samuel Quitzon, Richard Ronquillo, Kyle Santos, Tobi Sroka, Randy Sun, Angus Taylor

Junior Varsity
Oliver Bernadino, Giovanni Boscariol, Peter D'Arcy, Sean Divecha, Jiggy Ellorin, Liam Fast, Chris Girard, Charles Kim, Calvin Kwok, James Lee, Jason Lee, Alexander Liang, Kieran Nesset, Billy Park, Charles To, Ryan Uy, Brandon Wong, KC Yau, Ronald Yeung, Benson Yim

Grade 9
Jay Castro, Jonathan KL Chan, Lucas Chan, Chris D'Arcy, Alex Dumont, Colin Fung, Jonathan Grierson, Nicholas Heschl, Rafael Jacinto, Chan Woo Jung, Jason Kim, Terence Kim, Geno Lalana, Arnon Lau, Brendan Lau, Daniel Lee, Garrett Ling-Lee, Aaron Liu, Victor Matak, Zak Mndebele, Darren Moraga, Andrew Mudiappu, Oscar Ngai, Michael Pember, Ellan Ponjani, Garrett Sanvido, Andy Song, Frank Suh, Derek Tam, Ben White, Matthew Yee, Damian Yeung, Nawoong Yoon

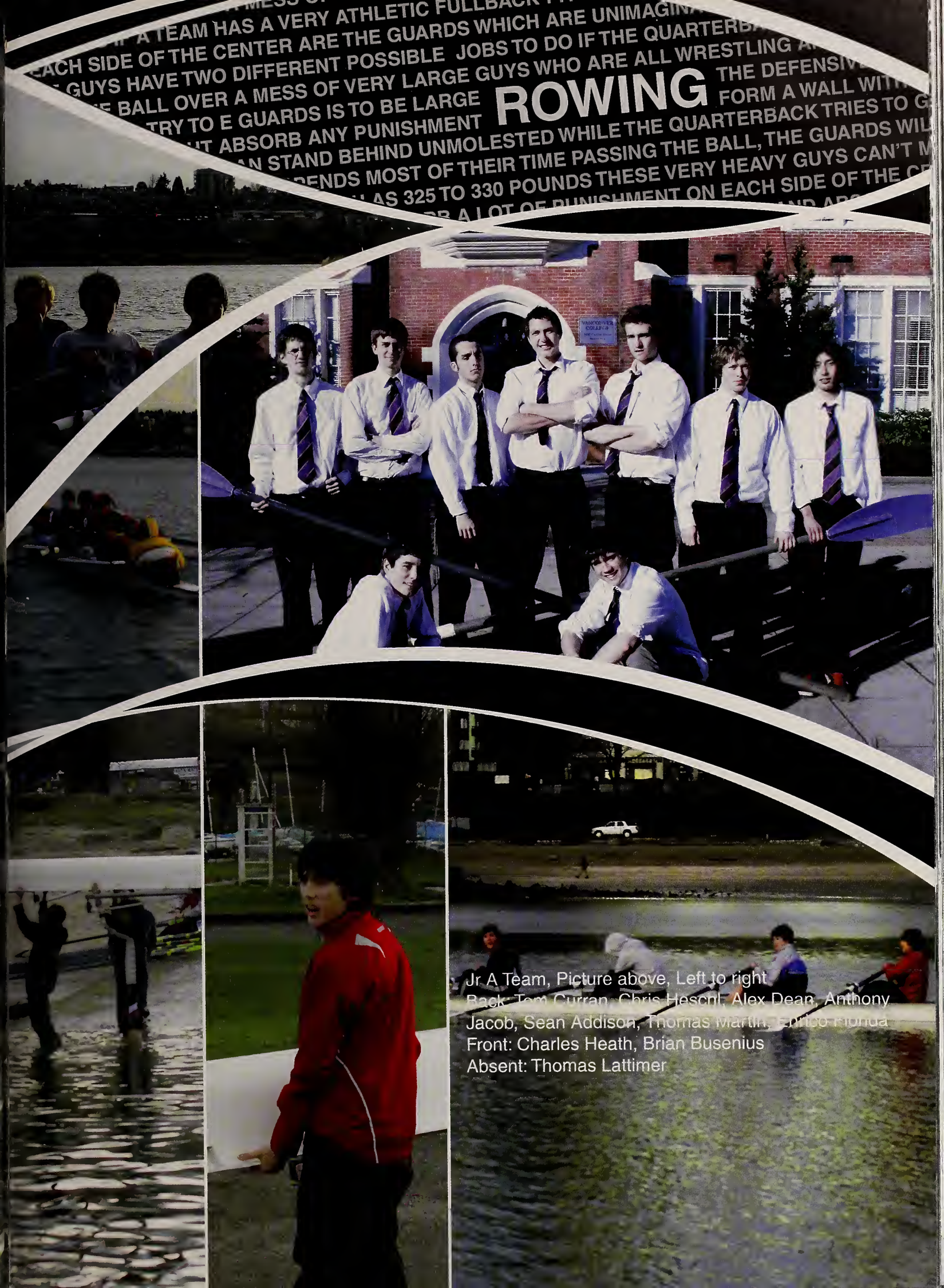
Grade 8
Robbie Battle, Anthony Cervantes, Konrad Chrzastowski, Christopher Chu, Patrick Cotterall, Nathan Discusso, Daniel Do, Sean Fast, Adam Girard, Daniel Kalinowski, Tony Kang, Adam Konar, Ryan Kucera, Kevin La Guardia, Richard Le, Lendl Magsipoc, Sean Mayzes, Anthony Pezarro, Gabriel Racela, Stefano Renzullo, Charlie Thorpe, Brenton Wong, Julian Wong, Simon Wong



There is no greater feeling than the crowd cheering "VC, VC" as you pull through the pain to push past your competitor to be victorious. There is only one feeling that surpasses this excitement and that victory. Many of our Irish rowers have enjoyed this feeling as the crews have won many medals including two golds at the Canadian Nationals last spring.

This victory, though, does not come without hardwork and determination. The Irish rowers commit themselves fully to rowing, giving up Friday nights, late rises, and their favourite foods in order to compete in this arduous sport. As their 'home away from home', False creek is a place where rowers build a sense of community as they prepare for hard gym floors, wind-blown courses, wall sits, praying for the sunset, broken equipment, and surly coaches. Ahh... the life of an Irish rower.

ROWING



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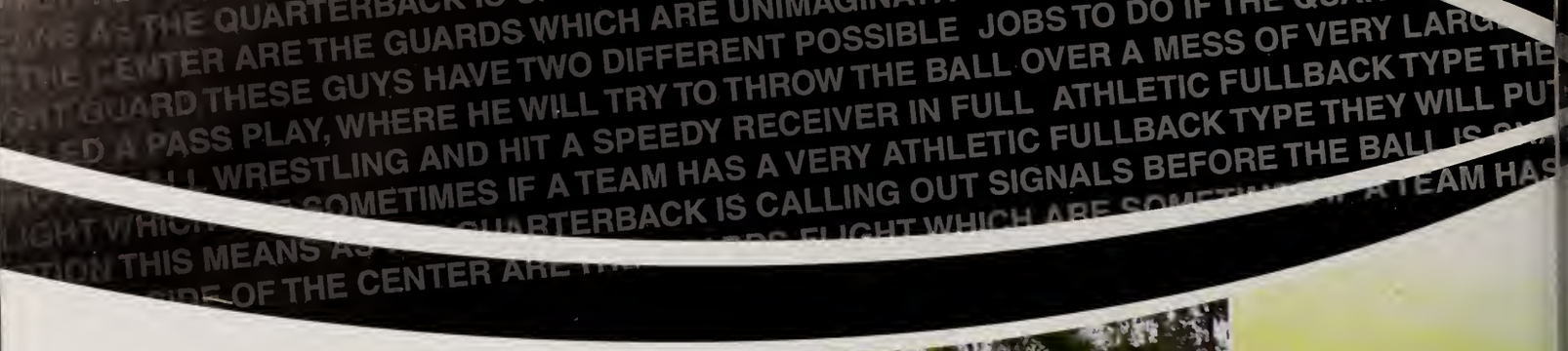
Front: Charles Heath, Brian Busenius
Absent: Thomas Lattimer



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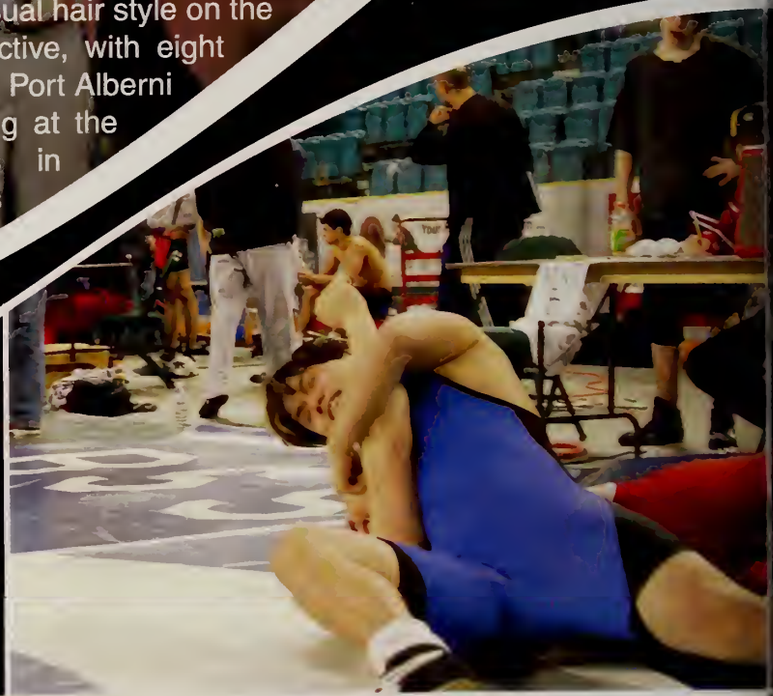
JR B Team, Photo right, Left to right
Back: Evan Cheng, Brian Stephen, Matthew Addison, Matthew Robertson, Jason Chan, Sean Lee
Middle: Mr. Bondarchuk, Harris Taan, Mathieu Ravelo, Laventure, Nick Arcinega, Hardy Rebang
Front: Thomas Rogers, Sully Lattimer, Chris Purdon, Connor O'Toole

JR C Team, Photo right, Left to right
Back Row: Liam Todd, Mark Ponac, Ben Raps, Giancarlo Bautista, Colin Cheng, Max Lattimer, Angelo Pupini, Angus Todd
Front Row: Michael Baulogh, Patrik Lau
Absent: Cory Wong, Louis Leung, Sasha Stephanian, Harland Dahm, Braeden Bealieu

WRESTLING

The 2007 Wrestling season was full of promise for the Irish, with rising stars Gurdeep "High Crotch" Besla, Alex "Mogli" Bains and Sho "5-point Throw" Shibata. Led by seniors Clement "I Love Avril Lavigne" Kour, Justin "Amoeba" Chang and Curtis "Pirate" Lau, the Irish overcame the obstacles of an overcrowded wrestling room and tightly packed van rides. This year's tournament trips, although lacking cheerios and a certain referee with an unusual hair style on the bus ride, were very productive, with eight wrestlers winning medals at Port Alberni and four wrestlers medaling at the Provincial Championships in Kamloops. Congratulations to the Irish wrestlers on another outstanding season.

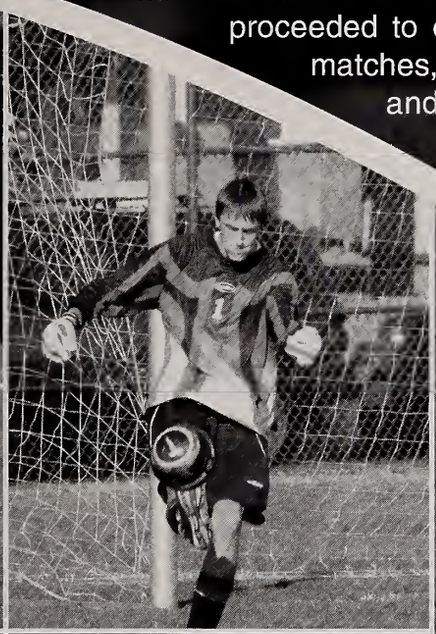


Roster

Alex Abundo, Christopher Adams, Jamel Allen, Dimitri Arvanitis, Sagar Bachra, Alex Bains, Gurdeep Beesla, Nicholas Blanchette, Giovanni Boscariol, Sebastian Browne, Jay Castro, Justin Cervantes, Jonathan KL Chan, Justin Chang, Kevin Cho, Derek Chu, Michael Cooper, Curt Da Silva, Steven Davis, Thomas Dodge, Alex Dumont, Liam Fast, William Fast, Matthias Goossen, Raymond Gutierrez, Burton Haig, Jordan Jacobs, Chan Woo Jung, Clement Kour, Ryan Kucera, Calvin Kwok, Geno Lalana, Jason Lam, Curtis Lau, Gabriel Lee, Timothy Lee, Sagar Malhi, Dylan Marrello, Daniel Martin, Victor Matak, Vincent Matak, Connor McSweeney, Andrew Mudiappu, Miguel Narciso, Duncan Onukwulu, Leinard Palpal-Latoc, Manpreet Pandher, Michael Pember, Jeremy Regush, Anthony Sakis, Harrison Sall, James Sally, Keenan Samson-Kapp Tyler Sangha, Gary Sanghera, Sho Shibata, Michael Terell, Leif Tuura, Ronald Yeung, Mark Zalusky

SOCCER

Largely considered to be the "other sport that takes place during football season," the efforts of the senior soccer team should be by no means belittled. Overcoming several injuries to key players, Mr. Devenport's team rose to the occasion, displaying the determination, skill and grit that they are known for. Over the course of the season, the Irish's reputation as a tenacious squad preceded their arrival on the pitch and struck fear in the hearts of their opponents. Their rivals had reason to dread the Irish – beginning the season with a tremendous 4-3 win over the lauded squad from Killarney, the Irish proceeded to complete several convincing matches, dispatching Templeton (3-0) and Lord Byng (2-0) in typical Fighting Irish fashion.



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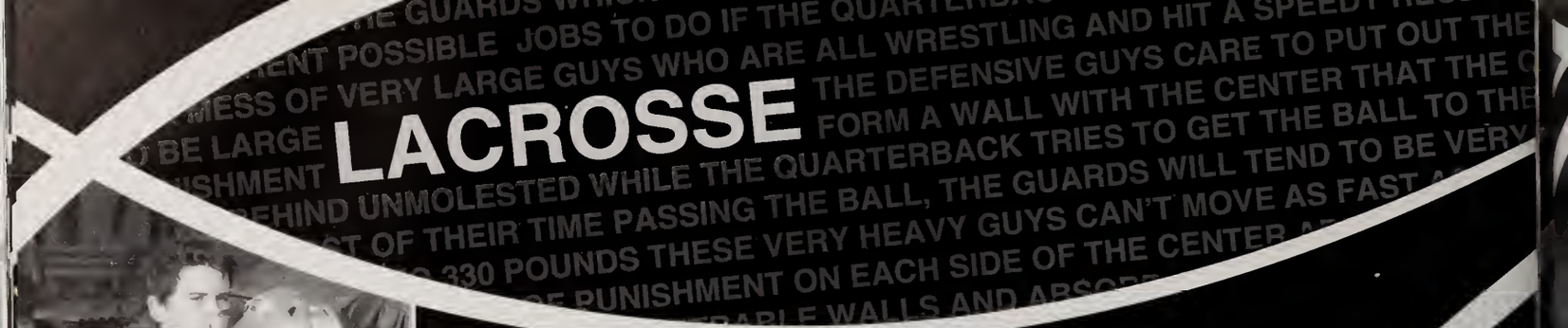
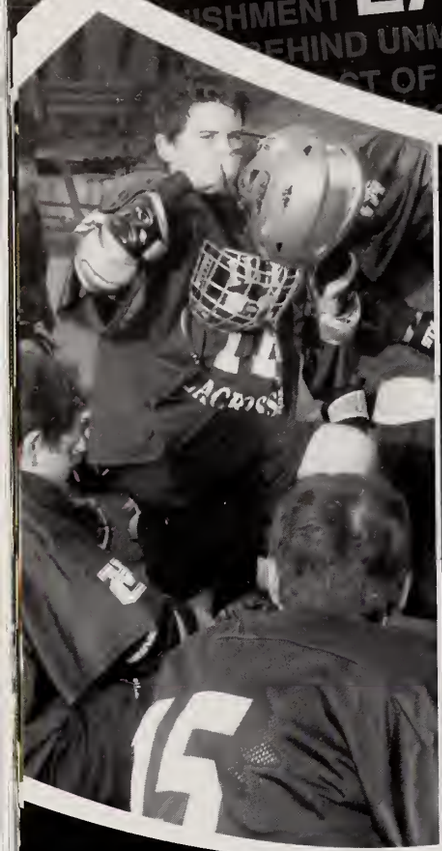
Top: Reagn Judd, Paul Kooner, Fred Park, Matt Konar, Brian Dewangga, Robbie Noble, John Smythe, Marc Trasolini, Ed Eviston, John Hopkins, Ty Clark, Ean Thornicroft, John Cordonier, Coach Devenport
Bottom: Sean Cadenhead, Kody Hol, Richard Sison, Will Gatfield

LACROSSE



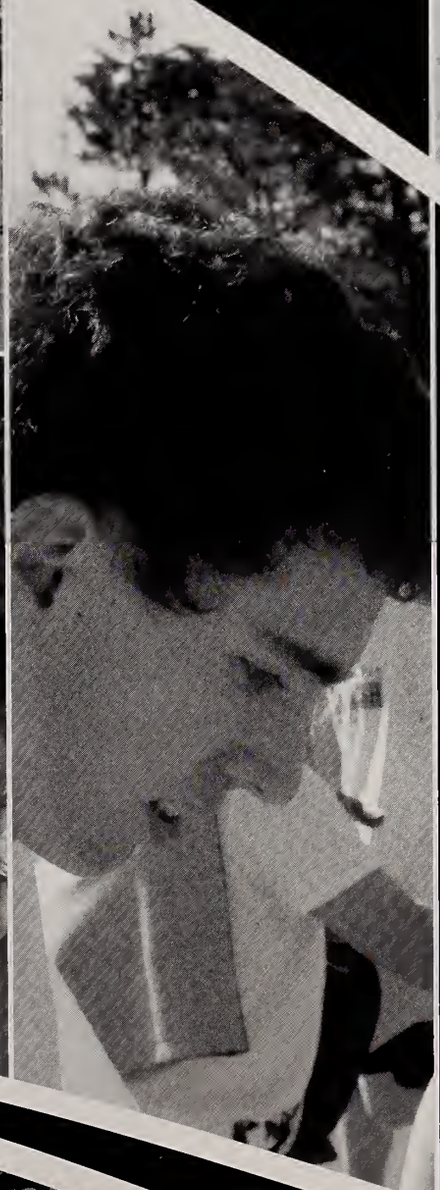


In its third year, the 2006-2007 edition of the Vancouver College Field Lacrosse Team continued the development of the sport on campus. Despite playing teams from more experienced programs, both the Junior (Grades 8-10) and Senior (11-12) teams held their own and qualified for the BC Provincial Tournament in early March. Coached by Mr. Jim Canil and former Irish Lacrosse star Matthew Esaw (Grad '05), this season was a great opportunity for the Junior team to hone their skills against tough competition. The Irish ended their season with a solid victory over Johnstone Heights. Congratulations on a great year!

Senior Team
Noble, Robbie
Sachs-Latu, Victor
Luykx, Roger
Clare, Nathan
Smythe, John
Thornicroft, Ean
Francis-Baiin, Jamie
Robinson, Zander
Lizuain, Rico
Hernandez, Alex
Canaan, Charlie
Hol, Kody
Miline, James
Ashton, Tom
Stewart, Cole
Espinosa, Manuel

CROSS-COUNTRY

The 2006 Vancouver College Cross Country team consisted of 20 determined long-distance runners practicing hard for the first sporting season of the school year. Training for the challenging 3 and 6 kilometre races, the team, led by Grade 12 students Alex Muntro, Anthony Jacob, Bosco Kwok, and Gr. 10 students Sean Bonar, Alex Bains, Liam Fast, and Chris Girard, came together on Novermber 4th, 2006 to represent the school at the Provincial Championships. In a sport mainly focused on attaining individual bests, this group of men, coached by Bro. O'Loughlin and Mr. Penn, emphasized the importance of teamwork and consequently earned a 7th place team finish out 28th schools in B.C.



Grade 12
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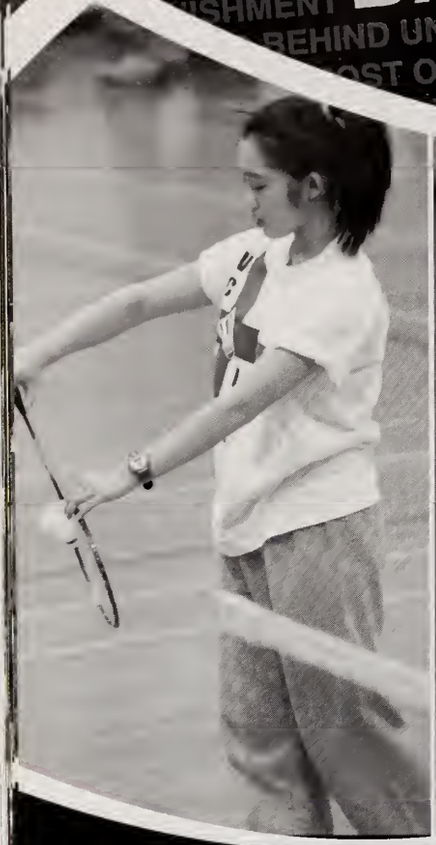
Jacob, Anthony
Munro, Alex
Grade 10
Bains. Alex
Bonar, Sean
Fast, Liam
Girard, Chris

BADMINTON



The record:
Regular season 6-1, Independent playoff 9-2 over St Georges/ Crofton, Lower Mainland Championship 9-2 over Richmond High (finals)
BC Championships 9-2 over McRoberts (quarters), 7-4 over JN Burnett (semis), 3-8 loss to Eric Hamber (finals)
The dynasty:
Since its re-birth in 2002, the VC/LFA badminton team has won:
- 3 second-place finishes at BC Championships
- 1 sixth-place finish at BC Championships
- 4 Lower Mainland Championships

The Guys:
Chan, Andrew
Ho, Herman
Lam, Jason
Lau, Arnon
Lo, Vincent
Lomas, Guenther
Wan, Carson
Wong, Ansley
Yeung, Damian
Yeung, Dominick

The Girls:
Chan, Charlene
Cheng, Erin
Cheng, Zarah
Cheung, Daphne
Cheung, Sarah
Lai, Carrie
Leung, Amy
Leung, Jessica
Lim, Shannon
Young, Alisa

The cheer: "VC, LFA, lead the way, allll the way!"

ICE HOCKEY

first senior ice hockey team in Van-
ver College history exceeded all expecta-
ns of this young program. Under the leadership
Mr. Nardi and veteran players Brian Busenius and Sean
dison, the team capably held its own against its more experi-
ed opponents. With grit and determination, the Irish on Ice won its season
es against St. George's, highlighted by a 3-0 shutout win over the Saints on January
The team continued to improve throughout the year, culminating in the Brentwood High School Hockey Tournament on February 22, when the Irish returned home from the Island as the champions. The senior team served as an inspiration to the keen hockey players in the junior team, and would like to wish the junior team the best of luck in continuing this new sporting tradition at the College.

Senior Team
Addison, Sean
Busenius, Brian
Busenius, Mark
Chebaya, Phillip
Cheung, Matt
Fernandez, Jordan
Francis-Bain, Jamie
Gass, Alex
Heath, Charles
Hemmons, Kodie
Nardi, Michael
Panadero, Cyrille
Roney, Conner
Sachs-Latu, Victor
Thornicroft, Ean
Ton, Matt
Ward, Jamie
Wong, Victor

Junior Team
Addison, Marc
Bast, Keaton
Cheung, Kelvin
Clarke, David
Da Roza, Gus
Eviston, Pearce
Gruchley, Matt
Madrussan, Adam
McConaghy, Ryan
Moskven, Louis
Nesset, Kieran
Roney, Brandon
Sandhu, Jagpal
Siu, Brendan
Traher, Spencer
Toigo, Dominique
Vong, Tyler
Wilson, Kevin
Wong, Lawrence

GOLF / TENNIS

With the return of veterans and the addition of several promising young talents, the Irish tennis team was a force to be reckoned with during the 2006-07 season. With the experienced tandem of Sean Cadenhead and Alexander Patterson leading the way to the Provincial Championships, Mr. Budai's young squad was highly motivated. Coupled with the strength of the LFA team, the Irish were poised for success. With the development of Grade 8 standouts Gareth Lindstrom and Provincial All-star Braedon Beaulieu, the future of Irish tennis looks bright.

Game, Set, Match: Irish.

Roster

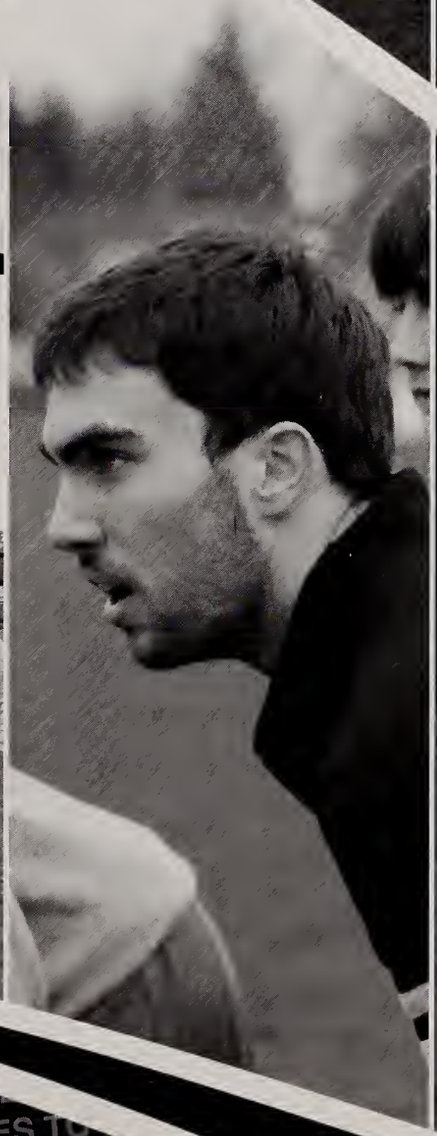
Keaton Bast, Jake Cham, Kyle Chan, Nicholas Chan, Cameron Frick, Jeremy Gangoso, Alexander Gass, Thomas Haebler, Ben Hemphill, Christopher Hicks, Christopher King, Andrew Leung, Conrado Paderes, Julian Righton, Kevin Wilson, Coach Olson

The 2006-2007 golf season has been an enriching experience for both veteran team members as well as new talents. Under the faithful leadership of Mr. Larry Olson, the Fighting Irish were guided to yet another successful season. Together, this team proved to themselves and to many others that Irish Golf should be by no means underestimated. With many talented juniors returning next year, this group of men is a team to be reckoned with in the years to come. The dedication, determination, and pursuit of excellence of these young men truly exemplify the spirit of not only Irish Golf, but also of the character of VC.

Left to right: Mr. Budai, Braedon Beaulieu, Gareth Lindstrom, Alexander Paterson, Joe Cordonier, Sean Cadenhead, Ed Wu, Francis Pham

ULTIMATE FRISBEE

elatively new sport at the College, Ultimate Fris-
e incorporates many of the best aspects of traditional
orts into one highly competitive activity. This year, fifteen Col-
e boys teamed with thirteen LFA girls to compete against other schools
oss the Lower Mainland. Despite facing more experienced opponents, the team
vertheless proceeded to win several matches in convincing fashion. As the season
progressed, individual improvement was evident in performances at sev-
eral tournaments including Hucking for Hearts and the Pro-
vincials. Congratulations men on yet another fine
season!

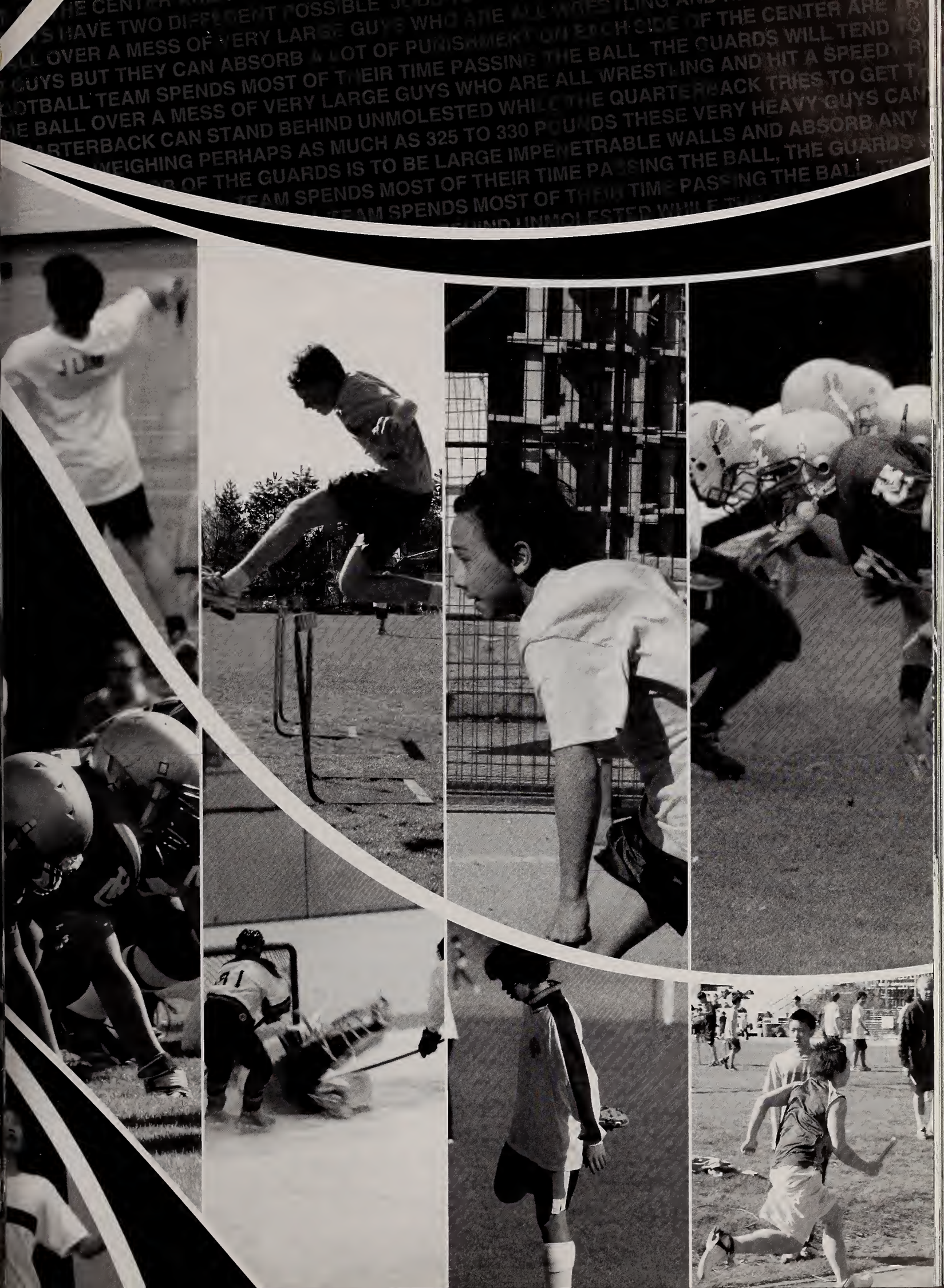


Guys
Thomas Martin (Captain)
Jon Hopkins (Captain)
Joe Cordonier (Assistant Captain)
Michal Martinka
Michael Tarves
Michael Loconte
Graham (Mike) Denison
Ethan Wong
Seamus O'Brien
Zander Robinson
Chris Hicks
Tobi Sroka
Jamie Francis-Bain

Girls
Alicia Parayno
Chantal Chateuneuf
Natalie Lee
Lisa Sun
Megan Sun
Danica Jayme
Zarah Cheng
Anne Keng
Jackie Tait

GR. 5-7 VOLLEYBALL

The Elementary School Volleyball program displays the talents of grades 5-7 students. From learning the fundamentals of the game from Br. Conti, to the fine-tuning of skills under Ms. Herb, to the application of strategies and advanced techniques under the guidance of Ms. Li and Ms. Marghetti, the Irish volleyball players spent hours in the gym finessing their talents. Their dedication to the program was evident in their level of commitment at practices where they pushed themselves to do their best in bumping, volleying, serving and spiking. Their efforts paid off at the competitive level where the Grade 7 team finished 6-0 in league play and reached the semi-finals of the CISVA championships. Congratulations boys!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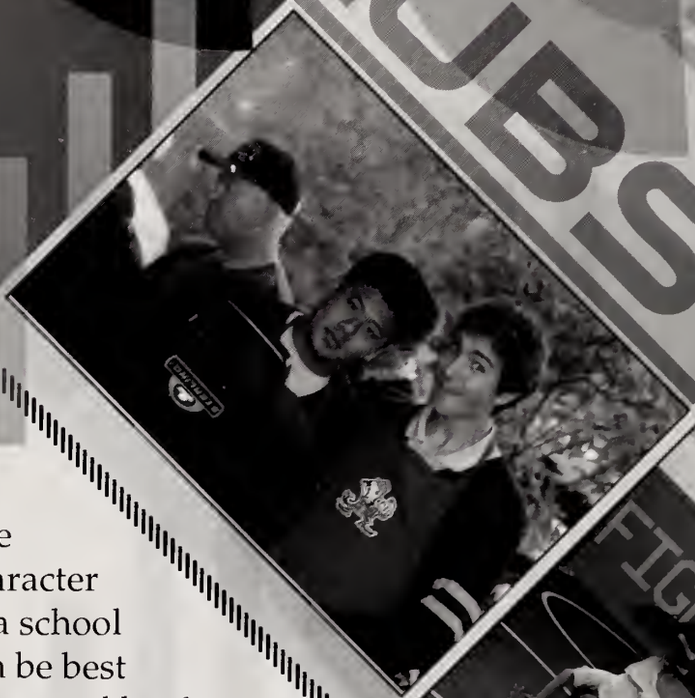

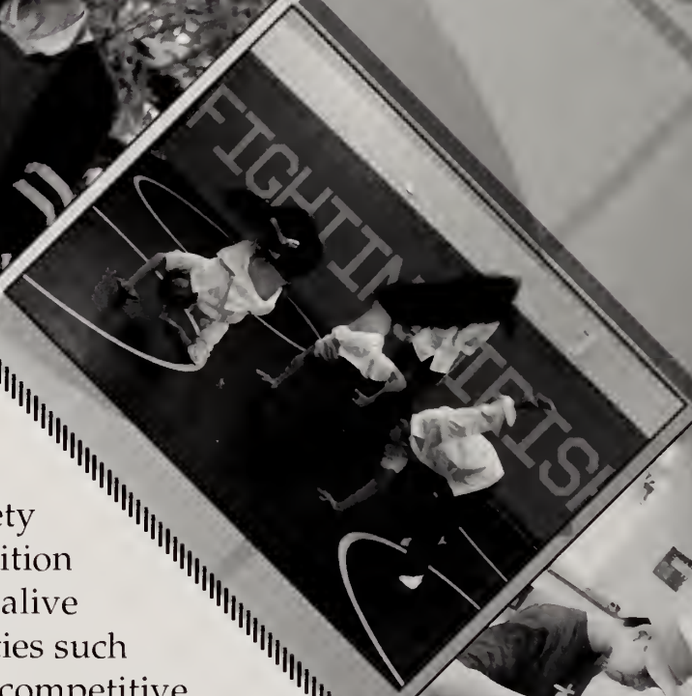

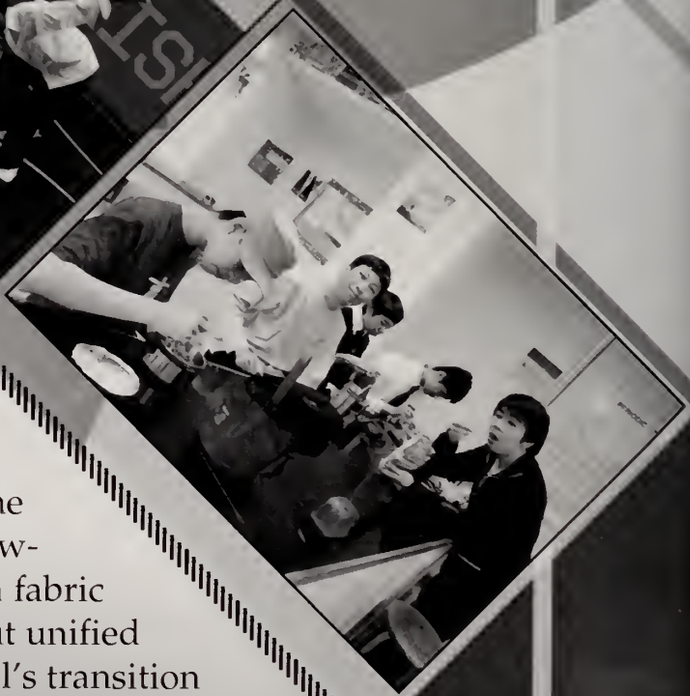

The character of a school can be best witnessed by the spirit of the student body in their extra-curricular endeavours. Epitomized by the numerous clubs that pursue a variety of interests, the school's tradition of the pursuit of exellence is alive and well. From leisure societies such as the Sudoku Club to more competitive associations like the Debate Soceity to service-oriented groups such as the Edmundians, there is something for everyone. Individually, each extracurricular activity affords the student opportunities that complement and enhance the Vancouver College experience. Together, however, the variety of clubs form a mosaic, a fabric that is representative of the diverse, but unified student body. It is in each individual's transition from one chapter of life to the next that these extracurricular activities enrich their lives and prepares them for the next step.

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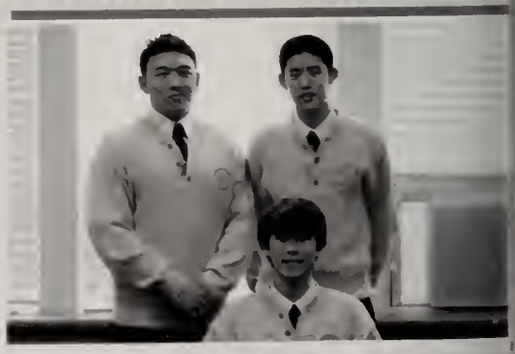
Reach for the Top

Student Council

Members

Executive:	
Seamus O'Brien	*President*
Bosco Kwok	*Vice-President*
Thomas Lattimer	*Secretary-Treasurer*
Representatives:	
Nicco Bautista	*Grade 12*
Eric Uy	
Andrew Lee	*Grade 11*
Cory Stout	
Sean Sy	*Grade 10*
Ronald Yeung	
Mr. C. Freire	*Staff*

In the spirit of leadership by example, the storied tradition of student government at Vancouver College continued this year under the direction of Mr. C. Freire. Although this year's edition of the Student Representative Council assisted in numerous school events this year such as masses, assemblies, and pep rallies, it will be remembered for gifting the College with the VCSRC Constitution, a legacy that will maintain the standard of excellent student government for the years to come. The Constitution outlines the Council's mandate to advocate the ethos of the student body. Throughout the year, the Council facilitated the pursuit of various endeavours of the student body, particularly by subsidizing clubs such as the Environment Club and the Elementary Games Club, as well as events such as Shakespeare by Candlelight, the Strings Society's Banfield Marine Trip, Pre-Grad '07, and the 2007 Human Rights Conference. Good luck to future classes continuing the exemplary tradition of the Student Council here at Vancouver College. *Semper Fidelis.*



Grad Committee

Members

Kristian Arciaga

Jonathan Lee

Bryan Leung

James Lui

John Smythe

The Graduation Committee of 2007 consists of Kristian Arciaga, Jonathan Lee, Bryan Leung, James Lui, and John Smythe. This exclusive "brotherhood" is responsible for organizing various Grad-related activities at Vancouver College. This year, the committee organized the VC Pre-Grad Cruise, Grad clothing, school gift, parent memento, the VCAA Basketball tournament, and more. Most importantly, the committee has helped establish a sense of unity amongst the Graduation class. The Graduation Committee would like to thank the following people: Brother Newman and Mr Hardy, for moderating; the College Administration, for its support; the teachers, for the numerous occasions the Committee interrupted their classes; and of course, the Grad Class of 2007, for its cooperation. Congratulations Grads of 07 and best of luck on your future endeavours!

Lettermen Association

Members

Andew Banting — *President*
Alexander Dean — *Vice President*

Executive Council
Justin Chang
Jake Chan
Charles Heath
Michael Loconte
Thomas Martin
Andrew Lee.

The Letterman Association is the visual manifestation of Vancouver College's mission to educate the person as a whole in the tradition of Blessed Edmund Rice. A renewed organization with the arrival of Ms. Prescott, the student athletes are seen at various school events year round, including the Mother's Christmas Tea Party, the Finnegan Ball, the Catholic Educator's Conference, Open House Night, Mayfair, the Remembrance Day Ceremony, pep rallies, and school liturgies. The Lettermen are students who display the same tremendous dedication, effort and skill in their service to the school as they do in their respective sports. The Letterman Association at Vancouver College is an age old tradition that continues to embody the indomitable spirit of the students.

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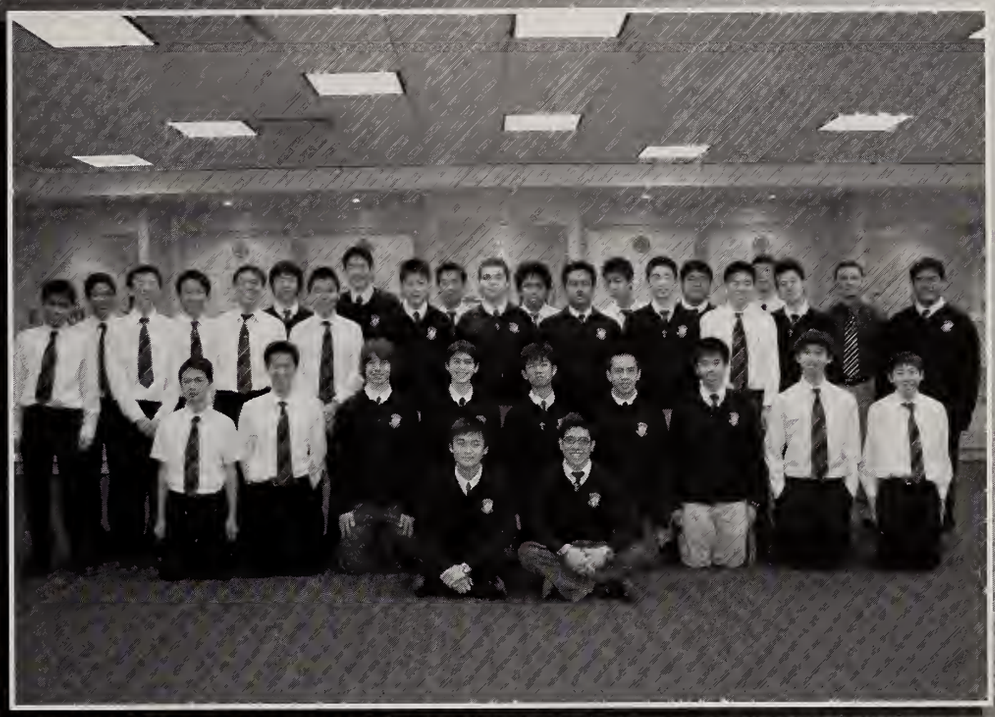
Social Just./Pro-Life Club

Edmundians

Members

President Cornelius Lau
Senior Advisor Patrick Guevara
Senior Executives
Dane De Silva
Tristan Kerr
Josh Nacar
Francis Ng
Alvin Keng
Phillip Lee
Derek Ng
Henry Zhang
Grade 12 Members
Kristian Arciaga
Kenneth Chan
Daniel Hatud
Leslie Lo
Fred Park
Bryan Ugarelli
Nicco Bautista
Arthur Da Silva
Geoffrey Lam
Alvin Mui
Austin Thorne
Garvin Yeung
Grade 11 Members
Jeffrey Abaquin
Aaron Cheong
Jon Chew
Gabriel Kung
Corey Lau
Justin Cervantes
Ambrose Cheung
Tom Curran
Gilly Lau
Andrew Lee



Timothy Lee
Gabriel Morales
Jordan Recto
Josh Whincup
Victor Wong
Kyle Lim
Andrew Pangilinan
Julian Recto
Nicholas Wong
Evan Woo
Grade 10 Members
Sheldon Ang
James Bodnarchuk
Gregory Chua
Karl Ho
John Kim
Sean Sy
Oliver Bernardino
Tony Chu
Eric Gustavson
Conroy Hui
Calvin Kwok
Eric Toyota

For the last ten years, the Edmundian Association has served the Vancouver College community. Devoting our time, talents, and treasures to serve our faith and learning community, we assist both parents and teachers in school events, including parent-teacher interviews and liturgies. We are blessed to have the support of Mr. Beliveau, Br. Newman, and Br. Gattone in our endeavours this past year. Inspired by the vision of Blessed Edmund Rice, we are called to be advocates of social justice, continuing the tradition of service and dedication at the College.

President
Honours Society

Established 4 years ago, the President's Honour Society is a recent tradition that recognizes the academic abilities of the Vancouver College students. To be inducted, one must achieve a final grade point average of ninety percent. Students must exhibit academic excellence and motivation in order to obtain a prized position in the society. As these individuals leave Vancouver College, we hope that they continue their desires for greatness and their enduring commitment. With an astounding eighty-two members in the 2005-2006 year, and an increasing number of members inducted each year, the President's Honour Society indicates the fruits of the efforts put in by the students and the staff. We can only hope that we raise our own standards and continue expanding this prestigious society in future years.

Social Justice

This year, the Social Justice Club sought to not only raise awareness on these local and global issues, but also to show others what they can do to help initiate change in our world. While we continued to involve the Vancouver College community in our mission, we also made efforts to expand the reach of our vision, particularly in our efforts to help hand out sandwiches at the Downtown Eastside, holding a Can Drive for the Greater Vancouver Food Bank, and also initiating what hopes to be another lasting legacy at the College: the "One World, One Heart" Human Rights Conference. Held on April 21, 2007, numerous youth from several Lower Mainland Catholic Schools gathered together to discuss issues related to human rights found in our world today. As the club continues to grow in the College community, it will continue to strive for equality and tolerance.

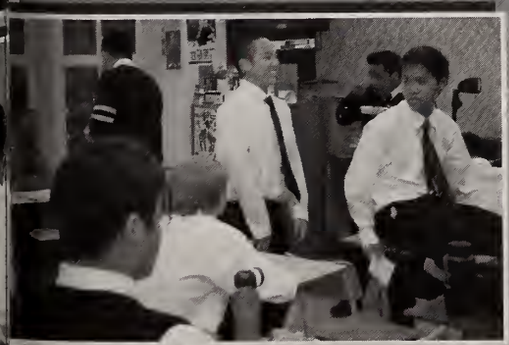
Members

Grade 12
Kenneth Chan
Dane De Silva
Tristan Kerr
Geoff Lam
Jonathan Lee
Leslie Lo
Derek Ng
Bryan Ugarelli
Kristian Arciaga
Arthur da Silva
Alvin Keng
Bosco Kwok
Cornelius Lau
Phillip Lee
Alexander Lui
Francis Ng
Henry Zhang

Members

Patrick Guevara
Richard Ronquillo
Josh Nacar
Justin Chang
Stefan Chua
Kristian Arcaiga
Alvin Keng
Arthur da Silva
Timothy Lee
Daniel Hatud
Charles Mendoza
Curtis Lau
Nick Hunter
Josh Domingo
Miguel Narcisso
Kenneth Chan
Dane de Silva
Tristan Kerr

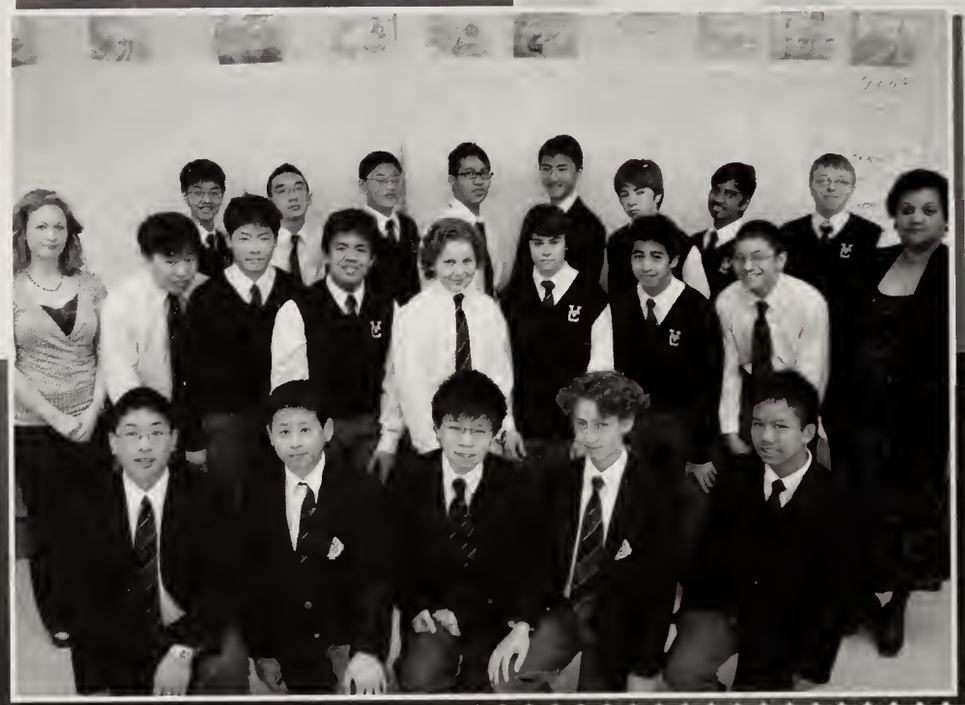
The Pro-Life Club, with the continuous support of Mr. Jim Canil, works to raise awareness towards the injustices of abortion. Through 50/50 tickets and draws, we fund the annual Youth 4 Life Conference. This year, the conference, held at our school, was a great success, bringing together youth from various Catholic high schools across the Lower Mainland. In a day filled with solemn prayers and camaraderie-building activities, the event provided us the opportunity to better understand the immorality and abusive nature of abortion. Meeting every Thursday at lunch, we devise ways to encourage our fellow students to join our cause against abortion. We believe we all have the right to live life to the fullest, but this can only be possible if we are all given the opportunity to live.



Pro-Life

Debate

In what has become a tradition in its own right, the Vancouver College Debate Society continued its success this season. Despite its obscurity to the greater College community, its reputation as a determined, witty, and talented team precedes it within the respected circles of competitive private school debate. Led by the dedication of Mrs. Ameerali and Miss Rogers, the College hosted the inaugural Finnegan Festival, with the tandem of Nicco Bautista and Oliver Bernardino winning the tournament. Later in the season, Nicco Bautista and Hervyn Mayuga qualified for the Provincials in Kelowna. Consequently, emerging from the Provincials with a second place finish at the Grade 8 level, the future certainly looks bright for this burgeoning program. The home of the 2006 Reiyukai International Canadian Speech Champion, the College is already looking forward to the start of next season.



Members

Gabriel Lee
Samuel Wang
Anthony Lam
Giles Fernandes
Kevin Pan
Robert Ferrolino
Jason Lecheminant
Edward Wu
Justin Siu
Nicco Bautista
Oliver Bernardino
Colin Cheng
James Vaughan
Braedon Beaulieu
Carlo Bautista
Gabriel Racela
Hervyn Mayuga
Nelson Fu

Members

Costa Mellios
Adam Gooderham
Anthony Sakic
Alex Abundo
Chris Ng
Rajan Lail
Jeremy Regush
Nicholas Heschl
Raphael
Neal Vohra
Bradley Melville
Raymond Wang
Lachlan
Tom Park
Anthony Kwok
Andrew
Michael Wade
Sean Crean
Matthew Lee
Baldwin Wu

Once or twice a week, the library is filled with the sound of interactions and questions buzzing around in a normally quiet atmosphere. The sound is the success of the Peer-Tutor club, headed by Ms. Li. Senior-school student volunteers contribute their time and efforts to help younger students to excel in school performance. It is a way to not only help others, but alos to make teaching fun. Thanks to Ms. Li, the Peer Tutor club has been going strong.

Peer Tutor

Math Club

Geared towards those who possess an insatiable appetite for mathematics, the Math Club provides students with a boundless opportunity to hone their arithmetical skills. At times, we try to fully apprehend the most challenging problems of the Principles of Mathematics 11 and 12 curricula, and at other times we unravel some seemingly unsolvable math contest problems. With support of our consummate math teacher, Mr. Nardi, we are able to decipher the cryptic mathematical language with ease. As we work through a myriad of math problems, there is no doubt that there are rewarding outcomes in our math contests and school performance. The Math Club meetings are held every Tuesday in Mr. Nardi's classroom and is open to all curious and mathematical minds!

Members

President
Jimmy Chang
Members
Jason Yong
Ted Lee
Arthur da Silva
Curt Da Silva
Timothy Lee
Edward Yu
Patrick Yao
Guenther Lomas

Members

Jimmy Chang
Jason Yong
Ted Lee
Spencer Baldwinson

For the past four years, the VC STRING Society has been successful in providing students with exposure to and knowledge in various scientific fields. The acronym STRINGS stands for Science, Technology, Research, Innovation and Neo-Growth. With the club's name of "string" deriving from the Superstring Theory, members of this club are enthusiasts of science, each with an insatiable desire to expand their horizons in the field. This year, students were given the rare opportunity to visit the Bamfield Marine Biology Facilities. Under the direction of Mr. Pineda, the STRING Society continues to be the pioneer of scientific progress at the College.

S.T.R.I.N.G.S

Bboy Club

The B-Boy Club, since its revival in 2004, represents the unique art and dance of breakdancing in the Vancouver College community. Combining a variety of dynamic moves and styles along with each individual's personal creativity, b-boying has become an avenue of self-expression. Dance with passion, they are indeed true B-Boys, "and every time we step into that circle, it's a testament to our conviction. This is more than a dance; it's our way of life."

Members

Grade 12	Adrian Wu
Pat Guevara	Sam Quitzon
Arthur Da Silva	Jason Wu
Jon Wong	
Grade 11	Michael Si
Ed Tiojanco	Tim Tumbagahan
Ivan Medina	

Members

Supreme Emperor	Michael Martinka
Head Slave	Tim Lee
Best Slaves	Ed Yu
	Trevor Doyle
Honorary Slaves	Alex Munro
	Justin Endaya
Sudoku Rapper	David Le
Other Slaves	Everyone Else

Every Monday, the Sudoku enthusiasts of Vancouver College meet in Mr. Nardi's room to challenge themselves intellectually. With great patience, the students work through the various types of numerical puzzles. Originating from Japan, the renowned "Samurai" Sudoku is a club favourite. The students are aided in their thought process by the fresh rhymes of Commercial Street rapper David Le. Although the atmosphere is generally relaxed, the monthly Sudoku competition brings out the competitive nature of all the participants; the intensity in Room 131 is unparalleled by any other event. Inspire by the talents of first term champion Ed Yu and second term winner Trevor Doyle, the Sudoku aficionados are quick gaining fame throughout the school for their tenacity. Under the leadership of Michal Martinka and Timothy Lee, t Sudoku experts live and die by the mantra: "Pursue Intelligence. Play Sudoku."

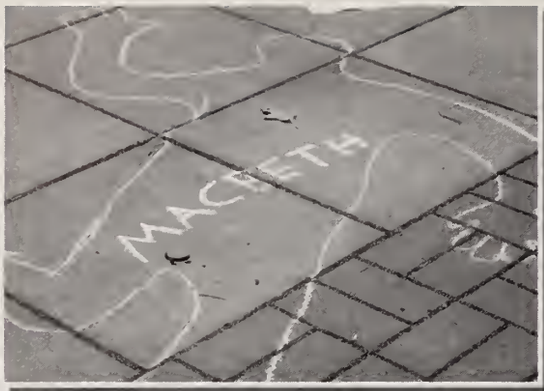
Sudoku Club

Reverence for Life

The Reverence for Life Club, under the guidance of Mr. Anthony Small and Ms. Donna Ameerali works to raise awareness towards the injustices of abortion, like its Senior counterpart, the Pro-Life Club. Meeting every week, we try and take part in the various pro-life activities, including Youth 4 Life, which was held here at Vancouver College.

The Environment Club has once again had a successful year. Led by Ms. Keogh and composed of grade seven students, the club contributes to the school by giving their time to recycle cans and paper in each of the classrooms. The energetic students partake in after-school escapades around the school armed with nothing but a cart to fill with old paper scraps. Knowing full well that at any given time, they may be subject to paper cuts, these students whole-heartedly sacrifice their fingers to better the school community. As well, they do the perilous task of collecting all the aluminum pop cans around the school, a task that only real men of service dare do. It has been a great year for the Environment club, and with the addition of the new facilities next year, the students have a tasking year ahead of them. The Environment club has continued to maintain its standard of excellence around the school, and look forward to the new challenges of next year.

Environment Club



Drama

The Drama program at Vancouver College is a relatively new endeavour in the fine arts, but its contribution to the school's repertoire of activities is great nonetheless. Under the guidance of the creative Mr. Anstey, the program, consisting of drama classes from Grades 10-12 produced several performances this year. Building on their experience in performing "A Separate Peace" at the Havana Theatre the year before, the program, starring the talents of Charlie Campbell, Robert Thom, Christopher Toyota, and Adam Cordick, proceeded to produce several more perfomances this year. The widely anticipated rendition of Macbeth will be remembered for its creative expression, as the actors displayed both emotion and pas sion. The program would like to thank all its fans for their support during the past few years. With several more productions being rehearsed for next year already, the future looks bright for the Drama program at VC.

Members

Editors-in-Chief
Ted Lee
Kristian Arciaga
Jason Yong
Senior Editors
Leslie Lo
Spencer Baldwinson
Staff
Curt Da Silva
Alvin Keng
Bryan Ugarelli
Charlie Campbell
Brock Euper
Alexander Lui
Ethan Wong

The power of the pen can never be underestimated and nothing affirms it more than Vancouver College's student newspaper, "The Voice." The newspaper provides a great opportunity for students to express their opinions and address the rest of the school. From the "College Life" section to the "Sports," the official student paper is full of informative and creative articles. The crew would like to give special thanks to Mr Duggan for moderating the paper and for his undying support.

The Voice

Anime Club

We shall be loyal to anime, forever...

Members

Richard Ang
Fred Park
Nicco Bautista

Members

Captain
Members
Dane De Silva
Ted Lee
Kristian Arciaga
Arthur da Silva
Tristan Kerr

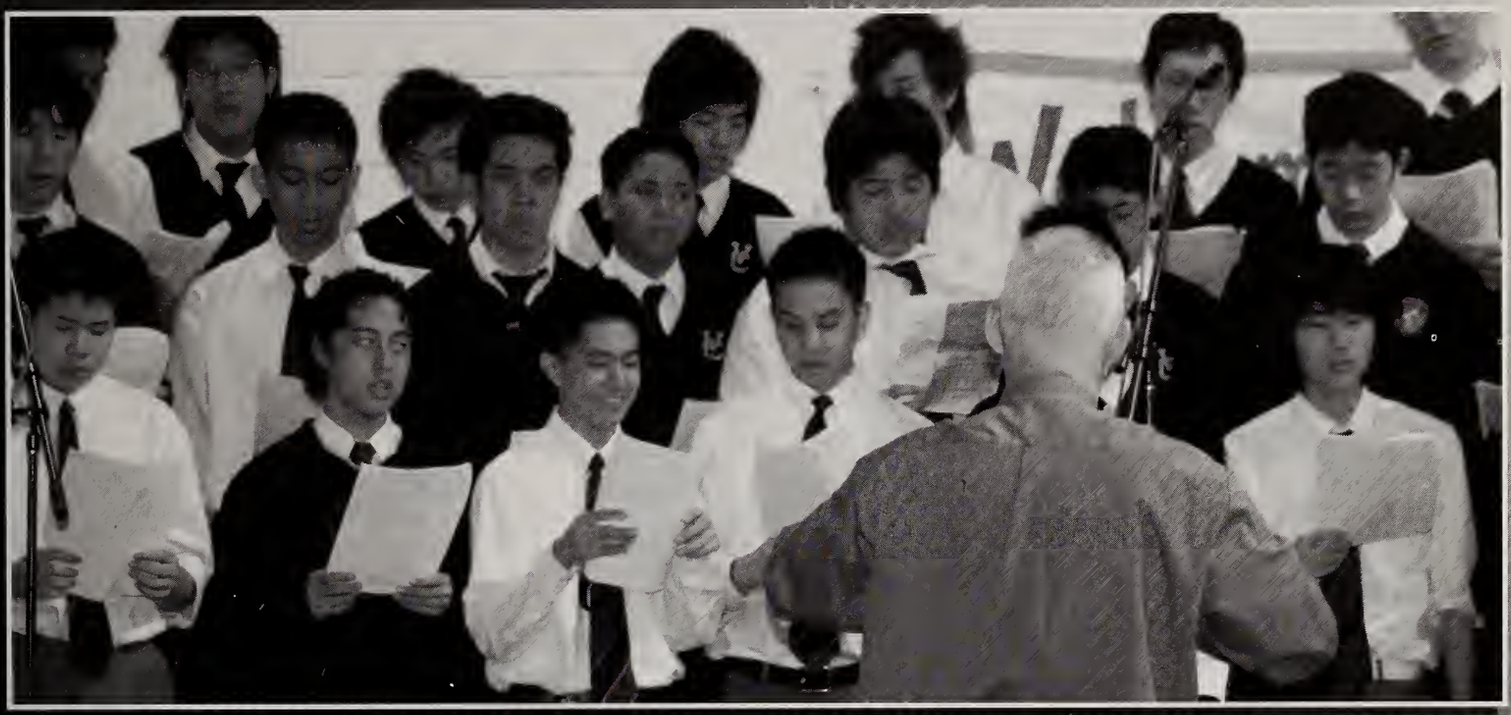
It was the inaugural year for the Fighting Irish Reach for the Top team. RFTT is an academic competition that takes place in high schools across Canada, with topics ranging from politics to biology to literature. With the help of teacher coaches Mr Kozikowski and Mr Pineda, the VC RFTT squad went 11-3 in the Regular season, defeating teams such as West Point Grey Academy and Gladstone Secondary. They were also outstanding in the Seeding Tournament held in Richmond. In the televised BC Reach Provincials, VC performed well against its opponents and placed in the top five. The team would like to wish next year's "Reach-ers" the best of luck; VC RFTT is expected to expand its senior team and create a junior team.

Reach for the Top

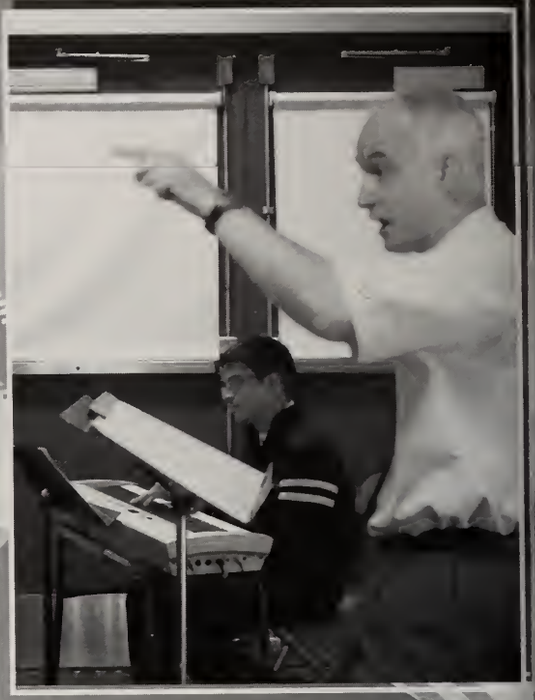
Band

The sound of music is alive and rockin' at VC under the great direction of Mr. Larry Olson. The band program at Vancouver College showcases a wide variety of music, from the free styles of the Jazz bands in grades 9-12, to the contemporary and more classical sounds of the Senior Concert band, which consists of students in grade 9-12. Working hard and with enthusiasm, the program competed in the annual Interior Jazz Festival in Kelowna. This year also marked the first time the Senior Concert participated in the Music Days Festival in Disneyland. Such an opportune experience complemented the annual Christmas and Spring concerts performed for students, family, and staff. The band program would like to thank Mr. Olson for his dedication, as their spine-tingling sound is largely a reflection of his passion for music which he has shared with them.

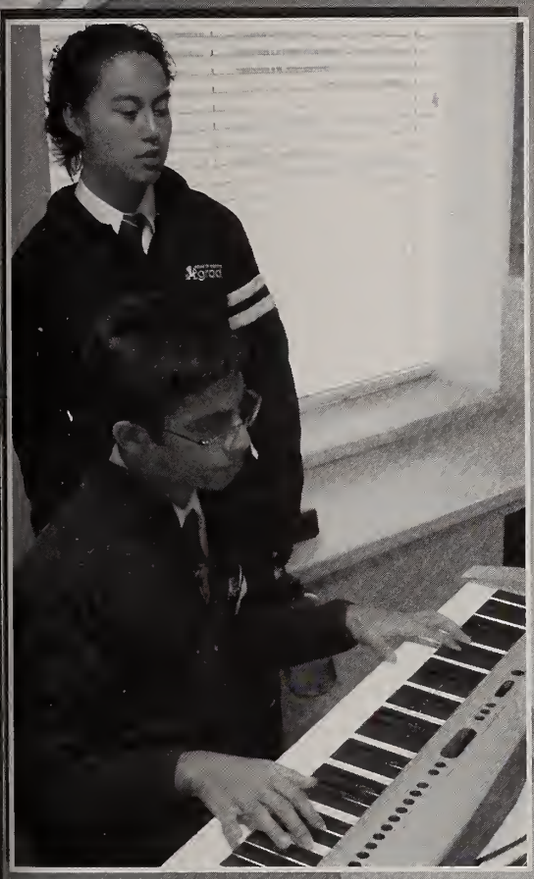
Choir

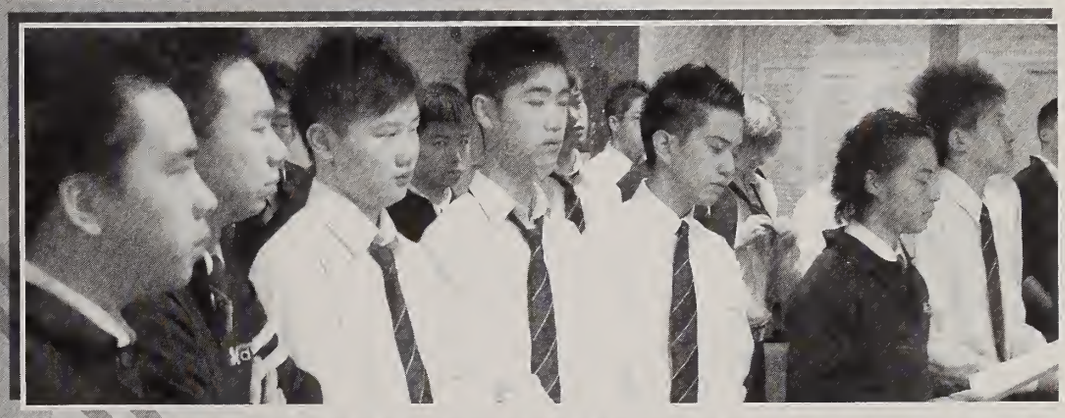


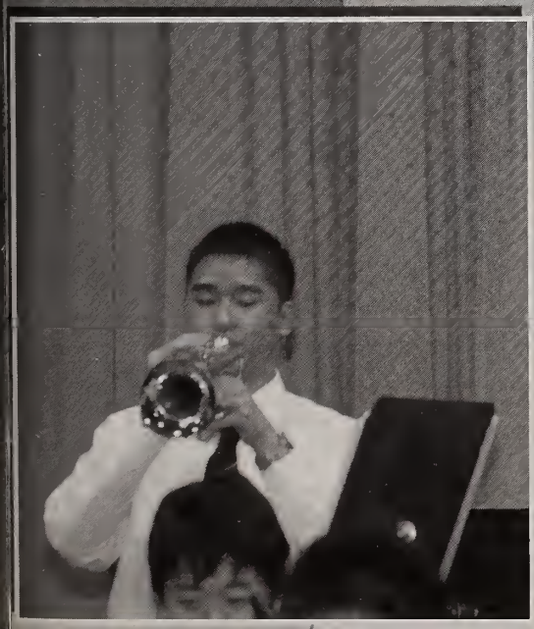
This year's Vancouver College Men's Chorus saw the largest group of singers, almost 70 boys. In its third year, the Choir showcases many returning and new members alike. Practicing two mornings each week, one hour each morning, the boys work hard to perfect their vocal skills, and better themselves as a choir. Moving away from an amateur choir, and becoming a professional choir, the vocal talents provided by the various boys from Grades 10-12 allows for a diverse range of sounds. Also including a smaller octet that sang for Christmas and Mother's Day, the choir sang for various school liturgies and travelled to the Whistler Music Festival. Songs sung varied from gospel to pop. Thanks to Dane De Silva for his hard work as the pianist, and to Br. Peter O'Loughlin for his dedication and direction.



Band & Choir







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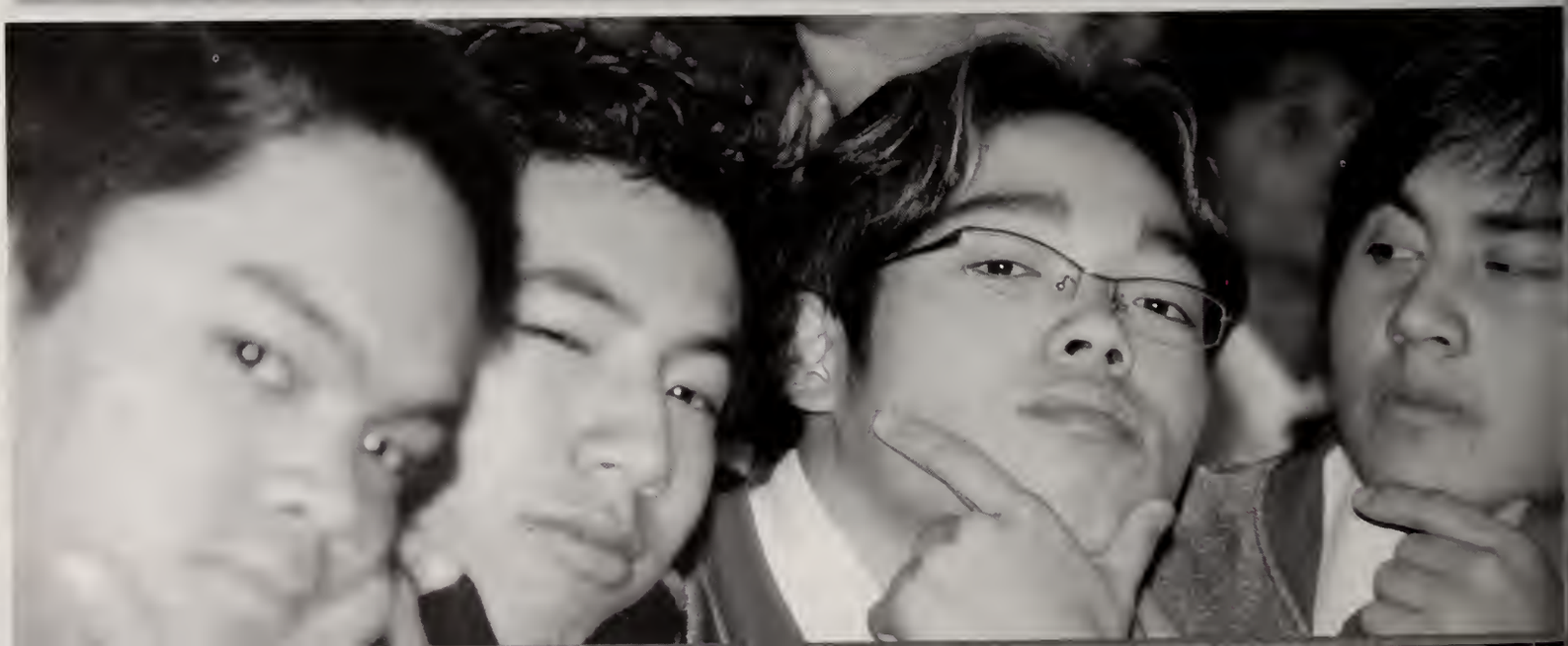
Events

With each season comes a new happening at Vancouver College. Although time at VC can be busy and hectic, the school hosts a number of events that keep student life active and students inspired. From the annual Finnegan Ball to the spring's Mayfair, Vancouver College celebrates life, family, and unity. The school community works hard to



provide a great time for all those who attend with great support and care. Through parent's co-operation and active volunteers, Vancouver College involves not only its students, but their families and friends as well. Positive feedback and great support arise with each event, as VC brings together its most cherished values while growing not only as a school, but as a family.

Liturgy

The most important part of our school life is the liturgies – they define the faith and learning community that is part of Vancouver College. Always involving student participation, whether being a lector, an usher, or a singer, the liturgies try to bring the students and staff together. As a community, we share in the communion that was celebrated during Jesus' time. These liturgies allow us to leave behind our daily schoolwork and become enriched through prayer and reverence. A ceaseless tradition here at Vancouver College, our spirituality is matured as we celebrate the various occasions throughout the school year.

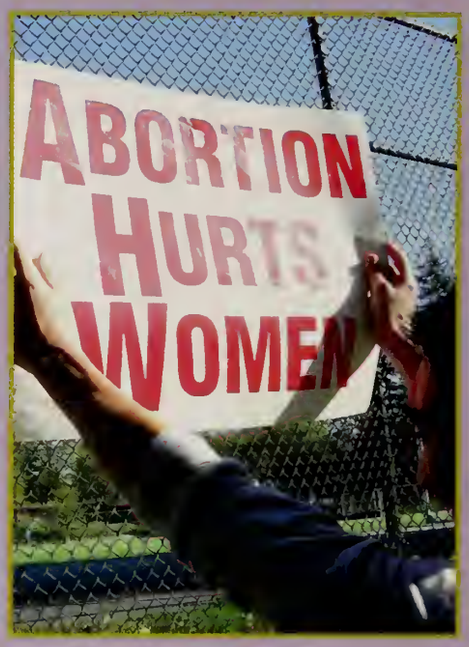
Remembrance Day

Every year, we honour heroes. Every year, we remember the tragedies of war. Every year, we assemble as a community to remember those who have given their lives so that we may be free. Our Remembrance Day ceremony at Vancouver College continues to be a solemn, respectful and contemplative event. We come together as one community with grateful hearts for the brave souls of war. As we ponder in silence the freedom that we have been granted, we realize and remember the men and women who put their lives at risk for us. But war has not ended. The effects of war remain vividly in our minds, motivating us to take a stand for peace. This year, Vancouver College continues its tradition of inviting special guests, led by Cadets of the school, to join our community in remembering our heroes. Our world is now a better place.

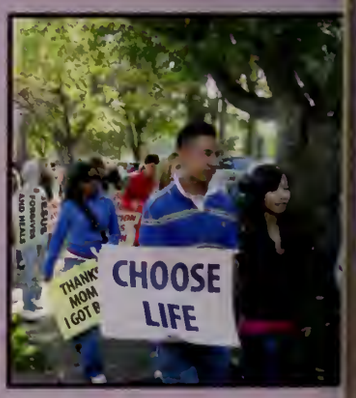
Lest we forget.

Youth 4 Life

★ ***Break the chains of death and walk for life***



The Vancouver College Pro-Life Club Continued its tradit of hosting the Youth 4 life Day. Led by Mr. Jim Canil, Mrs. Donn Ameerali, and co-presidents of the Pro-Life Club Patrick Guevar and Daniel Hatud, this event once again successfully gathered people as a community, spreading the message of the sanctity of and praying for the unborn. People from Little Flower Academy Thomas More, Archbishop Carney, Notre Dame, and St. Patrick' came and actively participated in the various ceremonies involv with the event. Several students formed a giant rosary of people while holidng candles and lighted the fire in each other, eventua spreading the message and spirit to everyone else. The tradition Life Chain procession also took place, where everyone marched down Oak Street, protesting against abortion and promoting life Youth 4 Life Day was a true success, bringing people together ar uniting them as one, while promoting the value and sanctity of l



Prayer for Reverence for Life

Almighty God, giver of all that is good, we thank You for the precious gift of human life:

- for the life in the womb, coming from Your creative power,

- for the life of children, making us glad with their freshness and promise,

- for the life of young people, hoping for a better world,

- for the life of people who are disabled, teaching us that every life has value,

- for the life of the elderly, witnessing to the ageless values of patience and wisdom.

Like Blessed Mary, may we always say "YES" to your gift.
May we defend it and promote it from conception to its natural end. And bring us at last, O Father, to the fullness of eternal life in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Events

"Move to improve"

Walkathon

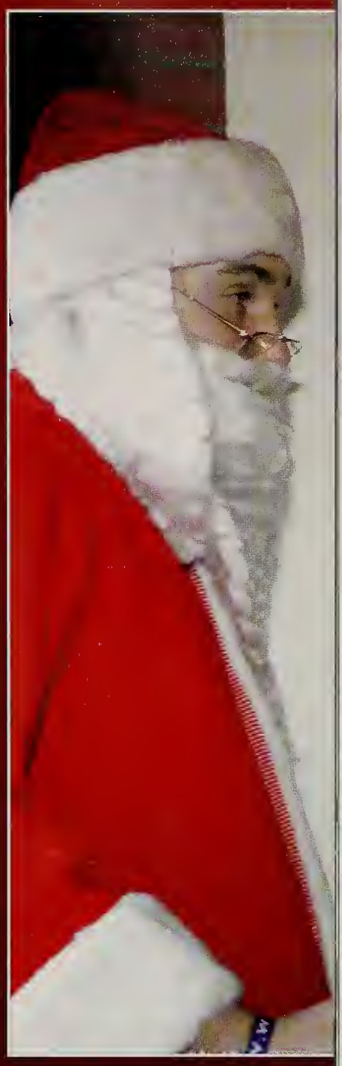
Once a year the school comes together to raise money to improve an area of the school. This year, the slogan was "Move to Improve," where we raised $100,000+ to help build the new Science Wing, projected for completion by September 2007. With better t-shirts, and greater incentives (such as the jail free card), almost each student brought in $100 or more. The weather, however, was quite cold and cloudy, until the sun arose near the end of the day. The grade twelves walked around the track with their kindergarten buddies, while the rest walked around Queen Elizabeth Park. All of the students brought their school spirit, ultimately making Walkathon 2006/2007 successful.

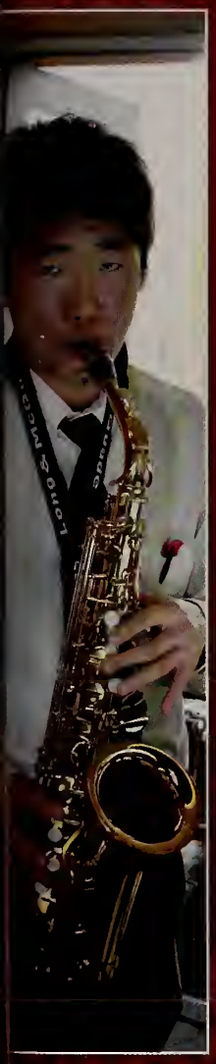
"One night a father overheard his son pray: 'Dear God, Make me the kind of man my Daddy is.' Later that night, the father prayed, 'Dear God, make me the kind of man my son wants me to be.'"

Congregating in the vast hall of the Italian Cultural Centre on a crisp October night, the graduating class of 2007 took part in their first of many graduating activities. For many of the students, whose own fathers are alumni of the College, the night fittingly celebrated the beginning of their final year at the school with people who have graced the same hallways and classrooms a generation before. Amidst the fine food and the photos of men in sharp dress suits, the evening's decadent ambience was due to the rare opportunity for the fathers and sons to gather and bond. Reflecting on their personal relationships with each other, the grads and dads were treated to words of wisdom by keynote speaker Ms. Fenlon, who spoke of the importance of leaving the College as responsible men. On behalf of the graduating class of 2007, Nicco Bautista responded and thanked the fathers for their guidance over the years. The night ended with a toast to the grads and dads, presented by Richard and his son Jonathan Lee. Ultimately, in a night largely symbolic of the grads' transition into adulthood, both fathers and sons left the event grateful for their relationship with each other.

Grads and Dads

Mother's Christmas Party





Each year, the annual Mother's Tea Party attracts many mothers to the Brother's Residence for an afternoon of festive entertainment and good food. Featuring the Thirteen Year Men and the Lettermen, the mothers are served a wide variety of delicacies as they stroll through the various rooms, mingling with other mothers and perusing through the auction items. As well, the mothers are entertained by a host of amazing performances: a V.C. jazz ensemble, a guest singer from Little Flower Academy, as well as the boys from elementary school, who provide Christmas spirit for the mothers. This yearly event would not have been possible without the dedication and hard work of the parent volunteers and coordinators. The 2006 Mother's Christmas Tea Party, in usual Fighting Irish fashion, was a huge success and will set the bar of tea-party-excellence for years to come.

Finnegan Ball

Being one of the school year's most impending events, the Finnegan Ball continues to be a great success. As the tradition of this event remains, supporters never cease to give generously and participate in the silent and live auction, raffle draws, and the 50/50 draw. Always keeping the guests in anticipation, the raffles offer surprising gifts and prizes, while having partaker sitting on the edge of their seat. The silent auction, on the other hand, continues to attract guests to the various wonderful prizes, as did the live auction. While the Finnegan Ball offers the guests a chance to spend a little on themselves, it also presents them an enjoyable night of entertainment, and allows them to spend some time on the dance floor, in accordance with this year's theme: "Dancing with the Stars." The custom of The Finnegan Ball in Vancouver College presses on, bringing the whole community together. Raising a vast amount of money for the school, the Finnegan Ball provides new, and amazing changes within the school for the students, teachers, and the rest of the community. With the help of the tradition of The Finnegan Ball, we transition into a new school emergence to benefit those of the present, and those yet to come.

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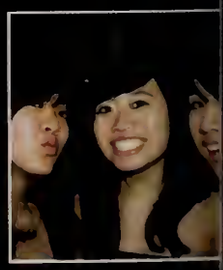
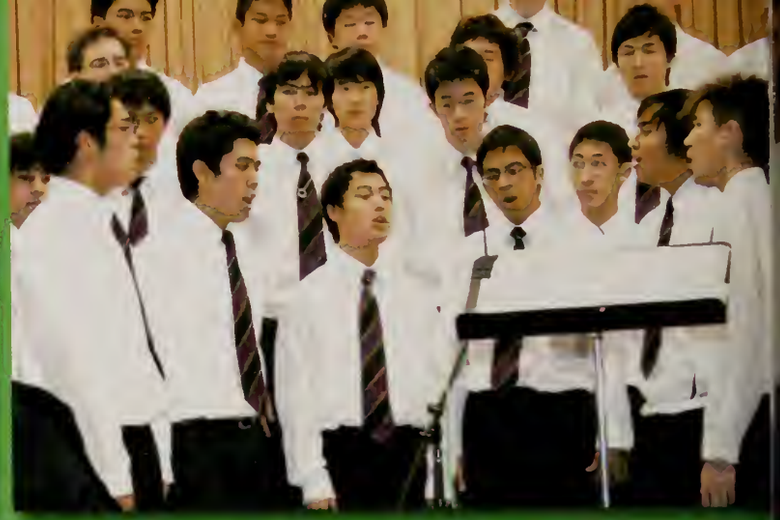
Pre-Grad 2007

The Grads, the Glitz, the Glamour

Amidst the anxiety of exams and university applications, the evening of March 2nd, 2007 afforded the members of the graduating class a night to relax and enjoy a once in a lifetime experience. The product of the tireless efforts of the Grad Committee and the support of the Student Council, the festive evening took place on the posh cruise ship, the MV Queen of Diamonds. Although most preferred to dance the night away to the rhythms of the tracks spun by the professional DJ, others enjoyed the serenity of the evening, basking outside in the moonlight and surveying the lights of beautiful Vancouver Harbour. Whilst the breathtaking scenery complemented the romantic sensations experienced by the 60 couples on board, all shared in the fun and festivities. A celebration of their final year in high school, the grads of 2007 would like to thank the many people, particularly the administration and staff chaperones for making the event what it truly was: a night to remember.

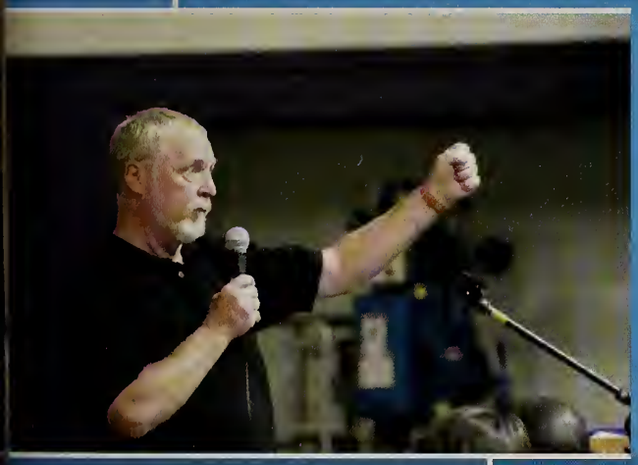




During the most giving season of the year, it is only fitting for the school bands and choir to showcase their musical talent to the school community. Vancouver College's annual Christmas Band and Choir Concert was a great success yet again. Under the direction of Mr. Larry Olson, the various bands offered a variety of music, from the familiar sounds of traditional Christmas Carols, to the more entertaining styles of jazz and contemporary music. Directed by Bro. O'Loughlin, the choir also exhibited its range of musical styles, from the traditional Christmas favourites to Latin classics. Without the dedication and determination of the band, choir, and their directors, the Christmas Concert would not have been as enjoyable as it is.

Christmas Concert

Pep Rallies & Spirit Day



Events

Shakespeare By Candlelight

"Shakespeare by Candlelight" was an event relatively unknown to Vancouver College a mere two years ago. Now, it is already a Vancouver College institution. Excitement starts to mount as the now famous blue flags are hung. Mr. Anstey has been taking his English classes and their study of Shakespeare to a candlelit stage for the past 14 years. This past year, under the encouragement of Mr. Hardy, "Shakespeare by Candlelight" moved to a beautiful white tent in the courtyard of our school. In 2006 the tent seated 100 people and this year the tent had to be increased to hold 200 people for each show. Tickets sold out almost instantly. Anticipation is always high surrounding this event and the boys never fail to wow the crowd. This year, on May 3rd and 4th, sold out crowds were greatly impressed by the Grade 12 Drama class' production of MACBETH set in modern day New York City. Charlie Campbell was chilling in his portrayal of the bloody Macbeth. What wonderful things lie ahead for Shakespeare by Candlelight. I guess we will have to see what Mr. Anstey has up his sleeve for us next time.

SIGNATURES

Grade 11 Retreat

Every year, the Grade 11 students participate in a one-night retreat. This is a chance to enable students to take a pause and rewind to look back on their life thus far, as well as their decisions and actions along the way. Led by a few chosen students, they give speeches varying from personal needs and wants to family experiences throughout life. Group discussions follow, allowing students to connect with other classmates they may not know so well. Not only is it just a chance to create new bonds and repair old ones, it is a time to relax and have fun. The Grade 11 retreat ultimately gives students a chance to bond with one another in the absence of the hustle and bustle of daily life. Thanks to all the teachers and students for their support in this valuable experience.

Encounter

If you love, this place is for you,
If you hurt, this is especially true,
Feel my love, feel my pain,
Help someone else feel love again,
Walk with me and share your love story,
I'll stand by you through all your pain,
all your suffering,
and your glory.

Seamus O'Brien,
Encounter XLVI

CONSTRUCTION

Student Art

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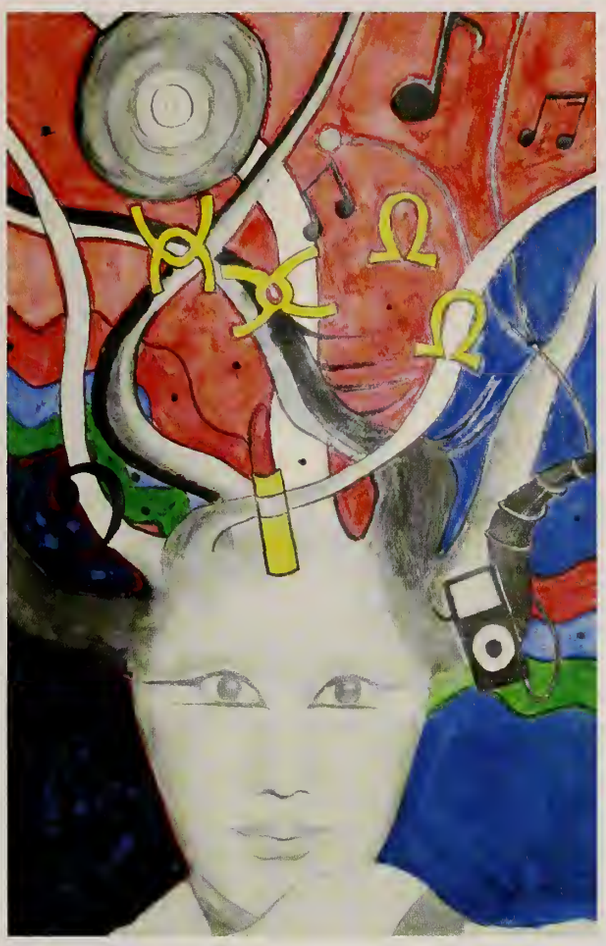
Flourish!



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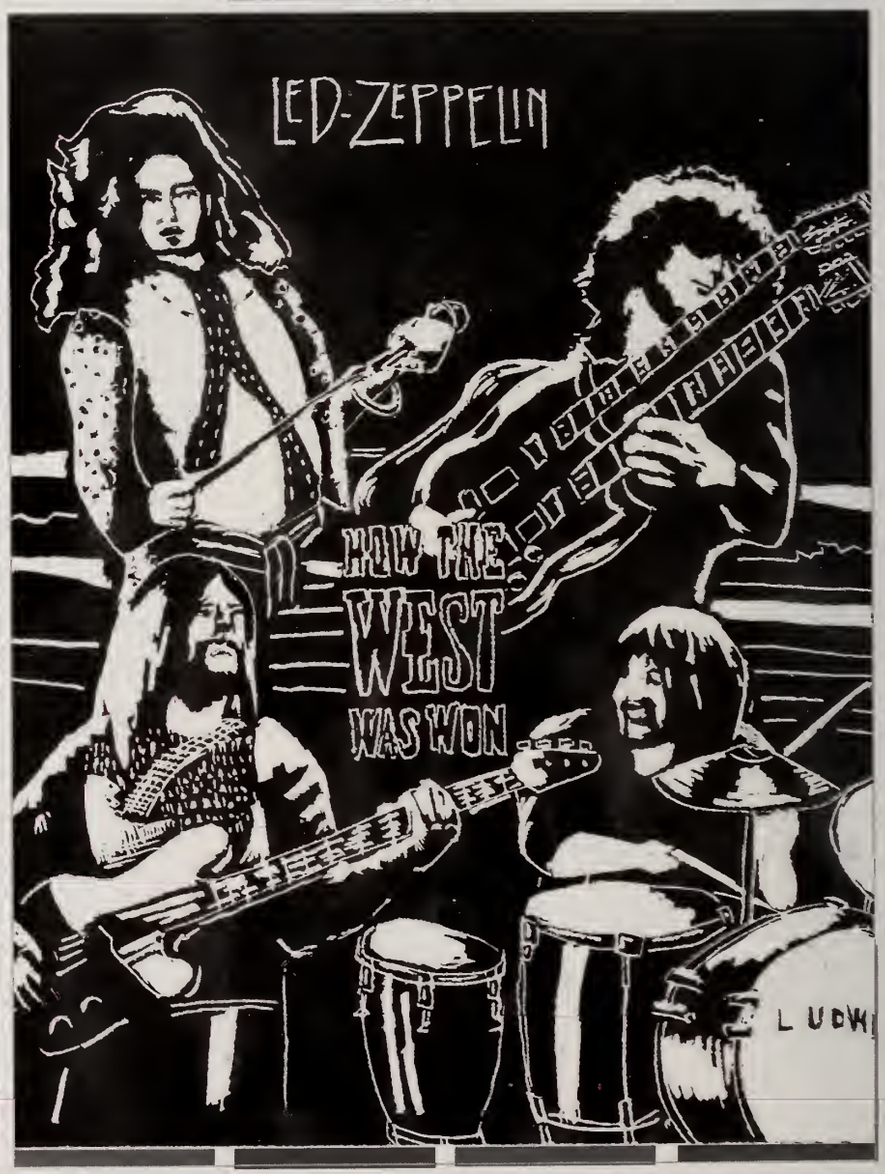

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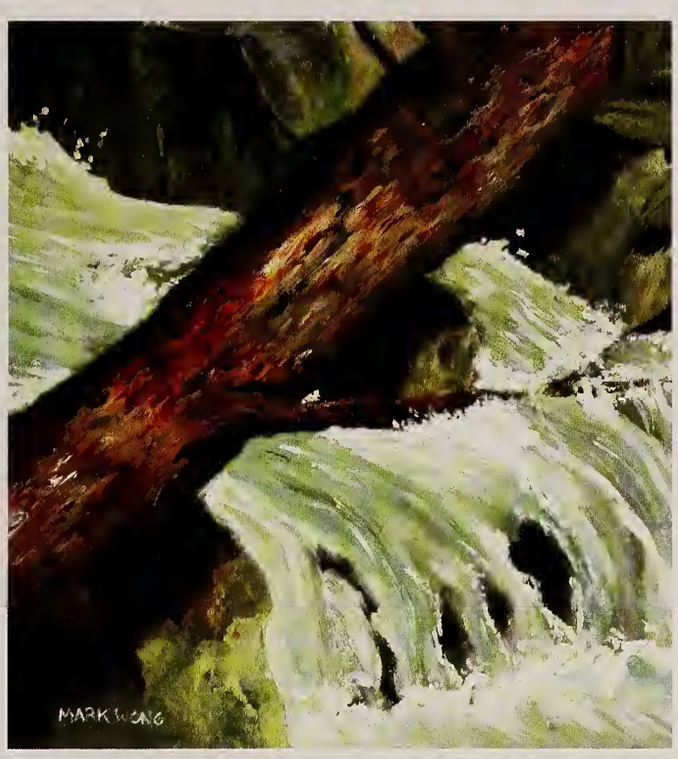
Splash of Colour!



Student Art

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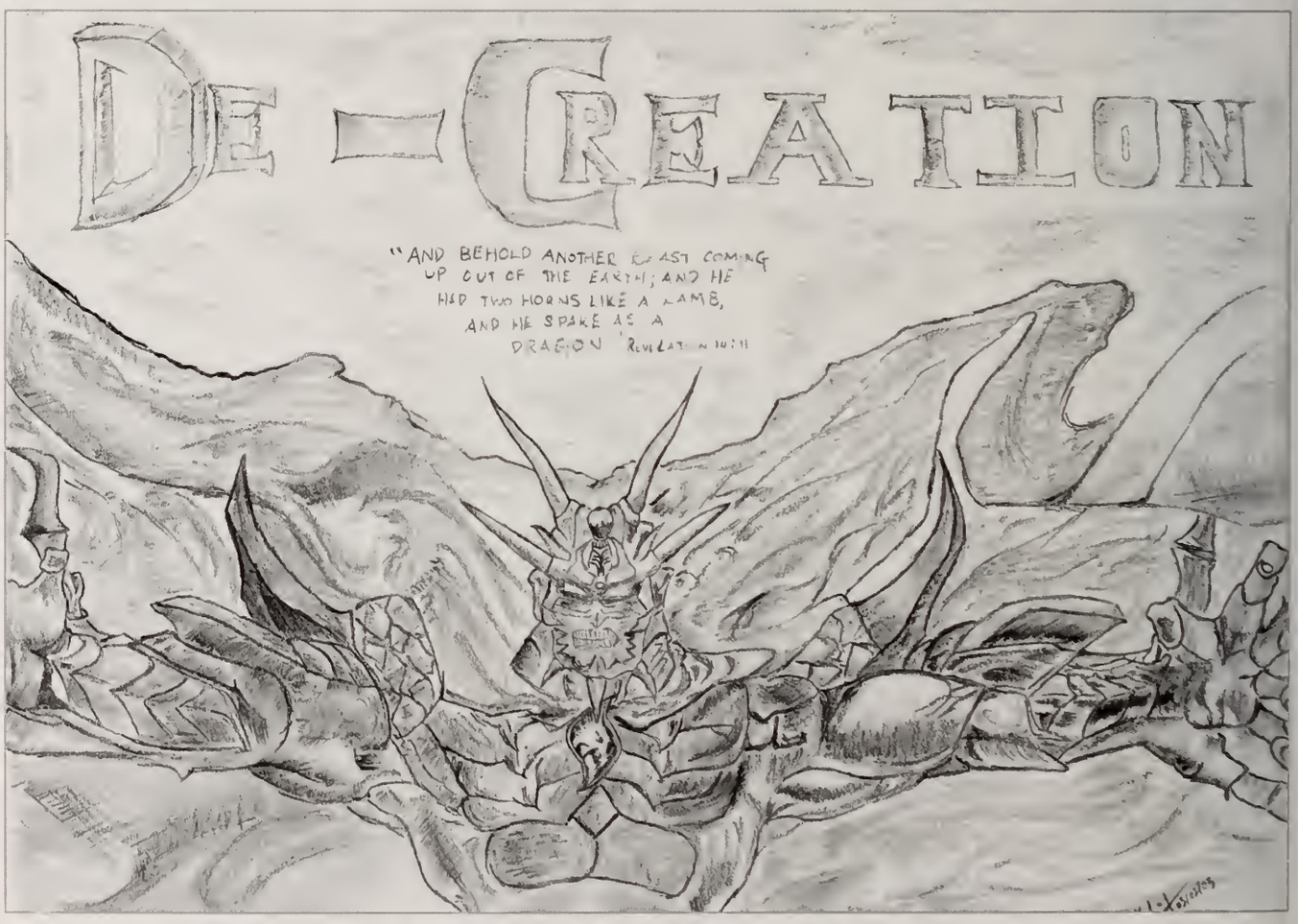

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DA SILVA, Curt
CO-HEAD / COPY EDITOR

Honestly, I thought Grade 12 wasn't as hard as people made out to be. Man was I wrong. This year has been hectic as... well, heck. Managing yearbook around school, all my other extracurriculars, and university courses has been insane. Literally, it has pushed me to the brink of madness; therefore, the writing you see before you is nothing more than the rantings and ravings of a madman. :). Good times. Yearbook has been fun, despite its... lack of doing stuff-ness. Hopefully what you've seen thus far in our Collegian is up to par, but, if not, you know what they say.... "suck it up, princess." I use "they" and "I" interchangably, just so you know. The Curt is amused.

Thanks to Pat, Stefan, Josh, Francis, and Dane for all your work. You guys rock. Shout out to all the numerous yearbook staff for your all your contributions, big and small. You guys really made the yearbook what it is. Working on the yearbook has been one of the best experiences of my life: I will always remember the pizza (default yearbook staff writeup mention), the late nights, and the good times working with the yearbook staff. Thanks to all my friends and family who offered their support while I was scurrying away, trying to get things done. Good luck to next year's Collegian Crew. Semper Fidelis.

NACAR, Joshua
CO-HEAD / COPY EDITOR

So, we actually did it! I can't believe its finished. And i barely anything. Actually. I'm co-head YEAH THAT'S RIGHT CURT! I SA CO-HEAD! ...Well... a horrible one at that. But i did my duti Thank you very much! Anywonk, I just want to say how incredi awesome the yearbook looks. A lot of work, but we came throu No late night, last minute, assignments. Thank God! So, after the few short months, we have successfully put together a coerc binding of unforgettable memories to delight and reminisce up Unfortunately, my role as co-head, somewhat comes off as sub dinate.

Anyway, I would like to personally thank my co-head Mr. Curt Silva. Sorry I never came to be the 'leader' I was supposed to I would also like to thank the department heads, Pat, Stef, Fra cis, Nicco, Richard. Special thanks to Dane De Silva for your ex efforts and work. After having worked with you guys, I've come appreciate the concept of 'yearbook' in any matter. We make a gr team. As corny as it sounds, it's with the utmost sincerity. . Go luck to the next yearbook crew. Keep the memories comin'. L keep in touch. AITE! PEACEOUT!

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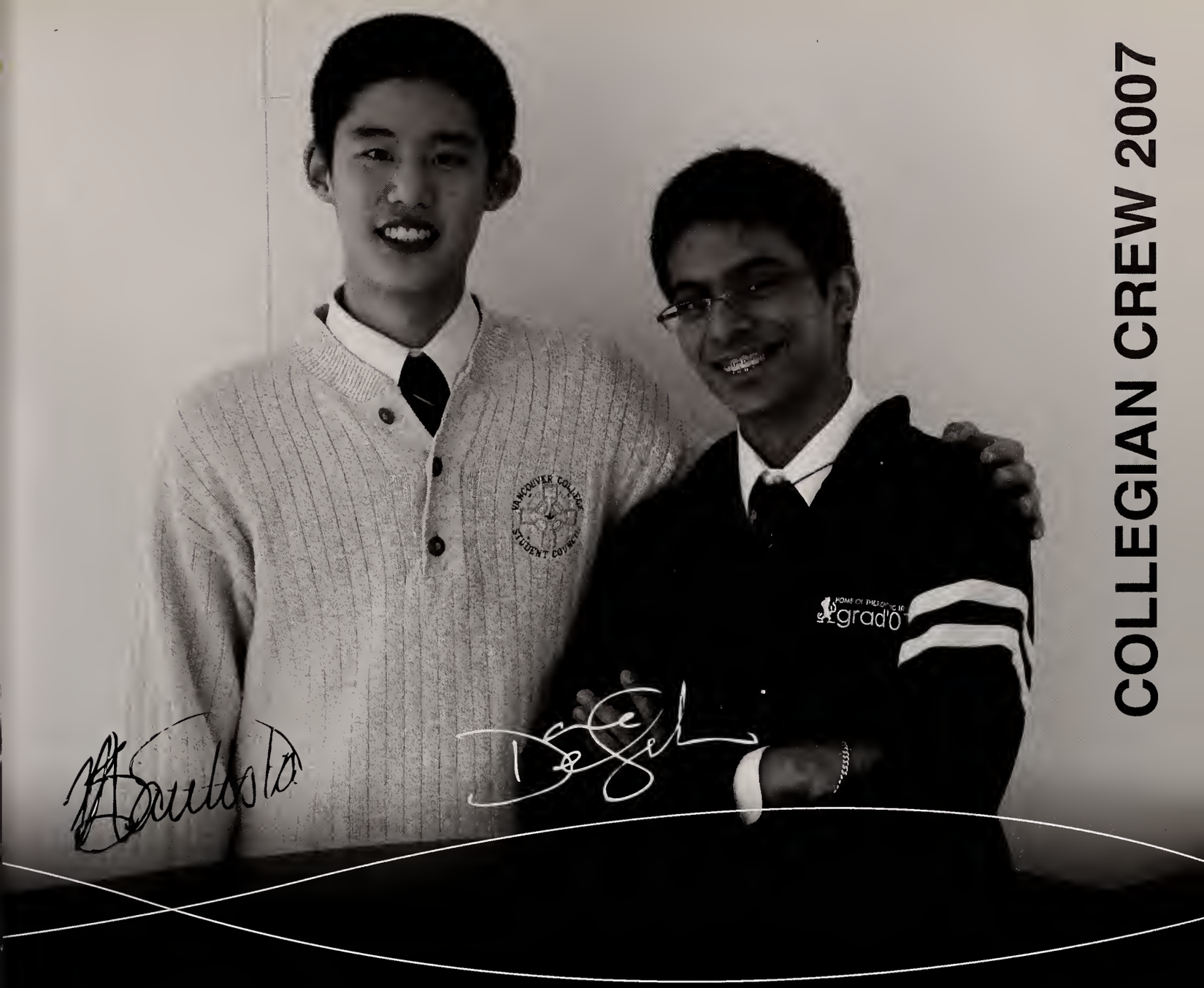

AUTISTA, Nicco
EAD COPY EDITOR

is year has gone by too fast. From the initial enthusiasm of breezy ptember days to the dreadful push to conclude those intense June sses alive and sane, many memorable words have been said, many teworthy achievements have been accomplished, and many remark-le moments have been shared. Yet the sound bytes, deeds, and ents are but a microcosm in the profound experience that defines ncouver College. The stories of one thousand diverse yet innately nilar men lie herein, each a part of the wonderful mosaic that adds a sh of colour to the dreary routines of high school life.

ars later, we will continue to speak of the Vancouver College expe-nce. One not restricted to activities from 8 AM-3 PM, but rather pplemented by these lessons and enriched by the extra-curricular, rticularly Yearbook. My sincerest thanks go to Mrs. Field and Mr. ggan for their guidance in the production of this wonderful work. the boys of the copy department, especially Dane, Alvin, Arthur, mes and Ethan, you have my deepest appreciation for writing those e words in that big colourful, picture-filled page. To the other editors, pecially Stefan, Pat, and Francis: keep amazing me. Finally, to the awesome bosses, Josh and Curt, your efforts have made this mas-piece priceless…now if only we could hear a duet…

anks for the memories guys, it has been both an honour and a plea-e to be a part of Collegian.

DE SILVA, Dane
COPY EDITOR

Wow. Thanks, Curt, I have my own write-up! Ok, so I wasn't planning on getting my own space for a write-up, but here I am, writing this write-up (and how much I hate writing thee!). At first, I did not know what I was getting into, which is why I signed up for as little as possible. I knew that Grade 12 would be busy, but after Curt started giving me more write-ups and seeing how lazy people were, *cough, James *, I had to get things done (don't worry, it includes myself). I mean, how hard was it to get staff details???

I have to give props to the head editors, Josh and Curt (mostly Curt, but I won't forget Josh =P) for their hard work and for keeping us on track with the deadlines, which I must say we never really made Francis and Richard --- awesome layouts. Pat, stop hogging the camera, and Stefan, keep drawing! Staying late to work on the yearbook and eating pizza were great (and fun) memories. And although this was my first year, I shall miss it. Well, here is, to all you students, the 2007 Vancouver College Collegian!

NG, Francis
CO-HEAD LAYOUT EDITOR

First off, congratulations to the Collegian Crew of 2007, we've done it AGAIN! As head layout editor, I have to say that putting this yearbook together wasn't an easy job at all. It took a lot in terms of talent and commitment to get it all together. From photography, to copying, and finally to layout, it has been a long road to making the yearbook what it is. Learning from past experience, we have successfully abolished the phrase "Don't worry about it"; therefore, being successful by not making the same mistake of procrastinating. With creativity being a part of our nature, we were able to work much more efficiently, putting together an outstanding book of memories which we will reminisce upon years after our high school life. Thanks goes to each and every Collegian member, it wouldn't have been possible to get this yearbook together without the countless hours of work and dedication that you guys have put into it, and to all those who have supported us, thanks for your unwavering support and faith. To our almighty head editor and venerable leader, Curt, thanks for the enormous effort you've put in to get everyone working. To all our critics, without your criticism and insight, the yearbook wouldn't have been as successful as it is now. Aside from the criticism, we'd like to thank all of you for the endless positive feedback which all of you supplied us with. As designers, there's nothing more rewarding than a "wow", a "holy @#%$", or a mere smile of satisfaction from our critics. All in all, we're grateful for all the help which all of you have given us, driving us towards that encore of gratification, which has inspired and motivated us to strive for perfection in our design work.

ANG, Richard
CO-HEAD LAYOUT EDITOR

This yearbook is an expression of the students of Vancouver C lege. Shouldering a large amount of the labor, my time creating yearbook was both harrowing and invigorating. I enjoyed piec together the various aspects of this annual production. I give that were due and likewise abhor those who did not take their jobs s ously. A symbol of Vancouver College, this yearbook reflects b talents and flaws alike. Weaknesses and strengths are highligh and in the end I am very satisfied by what I have done and the ov all production value of the yearbook. Despite the many obstac facing this year's production, certain individuals stepped up a delivered creativity and excellence. The great experience of t yearbook serves as a brief preview of the amount of effort tha required to produce something unique. I certainly appreciate effort and I hope those of you reading this do likewise.

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ONG, Mark
'T EDITOR

s is great! I was hoping to make this year's yearbook better. After ear of hard work, this yearbook turns out great! I wasn't able to this all by myself but with the help of other members of the year-ok committee and Mr. Duggan himself. They have worked hard r the year to give everybody in the Vancouver College Commu- a copy of a good yearbook. Thanks to Mr. Duggan, Mrs. Mck-ht, Stefan Chua, Matt Cheung and Gaweee for their continuous ouragement. This was a great year because being in the year-ok committee and being the featured artist wasn't what I have ected but glad that it happened. Getting my driving license was t of it too of course. I'm happy that people came up to me over year and telling me that the paintings are good. It was a fun erience and looking forward to do the same next year.

CHUA, Stefan
HEAD ART EDITOR

It's been a great year as Art Head with the Collegian Crew. Before I hang up my pencils and palettes, I'd like to thank a few special people in this wonderful loving family known as Yearbook. Thanks to big boss, Curt, you were an awesome yearbook editor, and you're an even more awesome guy. Thanks to Mark, Jason, Mr. Cho, Josh Nacar, and all you artists out there. Also, major propositions to Mr. Duggan for keeping a straight face when we failed him continuously. And since I'm in the fast lane out of this place now, I'd like to thank God, as always, the familia, and all my friends here at VC for making my year so great. You all know who you are, and each one of you has made a huge impact on my life; thank you.

"What? Someone's here for ART? WOW!"

DAVID, Philip
PHOTOGRAPHY EDITOR

After a few years of doing photo, it's my turn to take the lead! I've been somewhat dreading this moment where I have to take on the responsibilities of department head. I can't exactly say I'm excited, but I can say that I'm ready for it. For me, photography is more of a hobby. I would have never expected myself to be in this position, but now I am which means I can have every photographer do the work that I need done! I'll need to teach myself how to use Photoshop over the summer so I can make next year's book MY yearbook.

The time and effort that the department staff dedicate to this production is something that I want to continue into next year. I'm sure there is a constant pressure to create the yearbook that they want to see and be proud of, and it's no different for me. Many of my friends have asked to be in the yearbook. Some have even told me, "I've been going to this school my whole life, and never once have I seen myself in the pages." In response to this, I'll dedicate my work to them because some of them have been the most inspirational friends that I've had the opportunity to have. Giv'er!

GUEVARA, Patrick
HEAD PHOTOGRAPHY EDITOR

Another year. Another grade. More responsibility. More phot Sometimes it can be a chore being told to take photos of cert events, games, people, places, especially when slavedriver "e head editor" is on your case. It can be a pain taking tons and to of photographs and then being told by those darn layout monke that they weren't good enough!! Anyways, enough of the 'emo' t . . YEARBOOK woooo!

I was pretty excited going into this year with us responsible for t yearbook. All the layouts, all the art, all the writing, and all of t wonderful photographs that have gone into making this yearbo the best one we've had in all five years of our highschool life. W technically, the yearbook isn't even completed yet, but by the ti anyone would have read this filler of space we call the 'Collegi Crew', all will have seen the awesomeness that is the Vancouv College 2007 Yearbook !

I have to give props to everyone on the team for coming togeth and getting all of this done [and on time . i hope]. It's 12:55pm ri now. We're currently sitting around actually working on this Ye book that you all see before your very eyes. As I have run out space, it is time for me to bid you all "Farewell!"

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from this College. For some, it is merely a few months before the beginning of another year. Yet for the Graduates of 2007, it may be years before they return, perhaps as fathers picking up their son from school. But ultimately, we all leave this institution as individuals grounded in a deep Irish tradition, destined for greatness, leaving legacies in our trail.

We have reached the end. Another fine ten months in our journey of life, this was a year of many firsts. From first essays, to first dates, to first tastes of victory, we emerge from the shadows cast upon the campus by the hot June sun as grown men, each one year wiser. Life is indeed a long journey, and it requires us to comprehend the one universal paradox: the constancy of change. And in our attempts to continuously adjust to surroundings, to meet and exceed expectations, we find ourselves constantly in a transitionary period. It is in our attempts to reconcile past traditions with innovative foresight that we take leave

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